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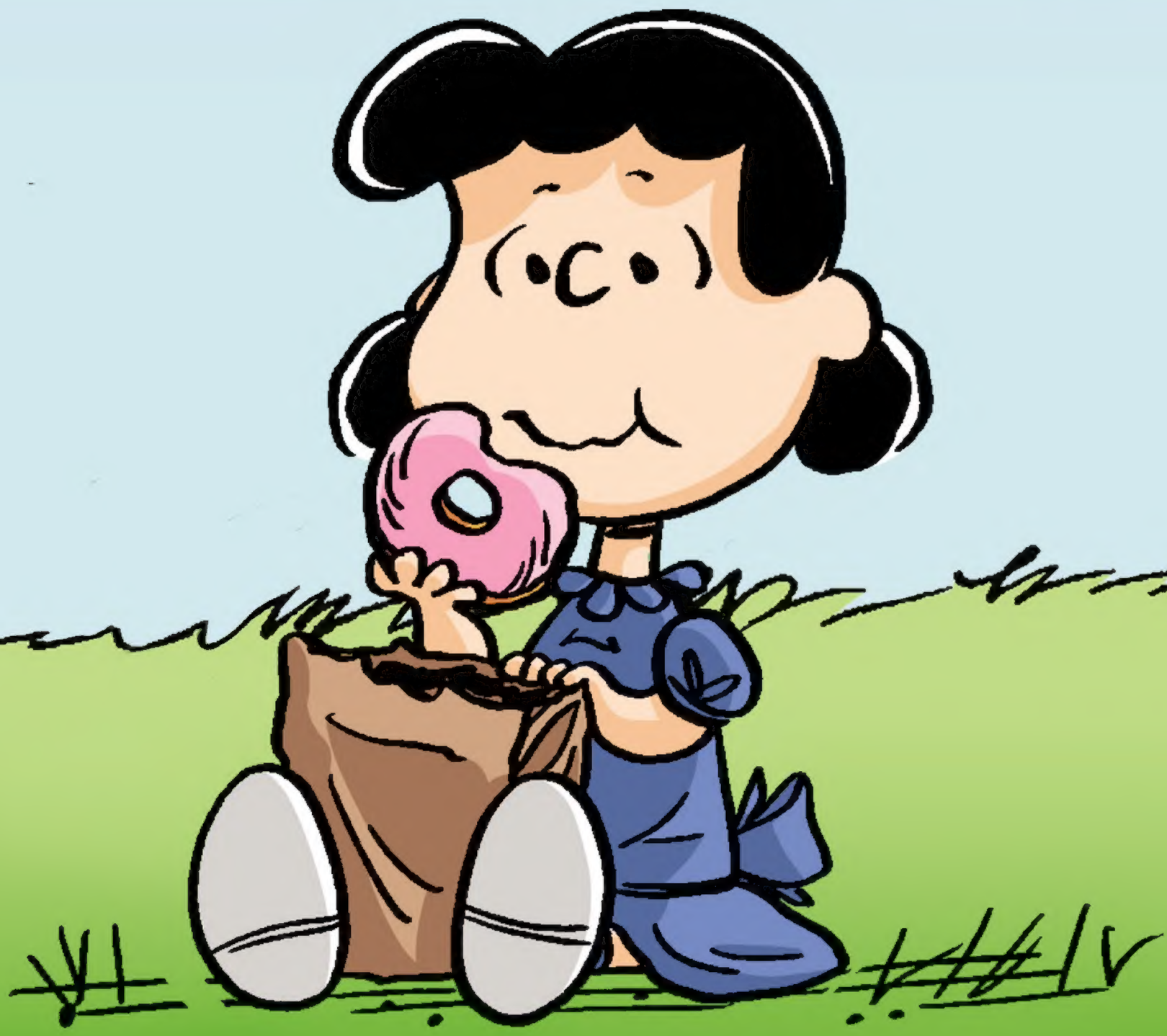
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SNOOPY FROM THE BLOCK

HERE, YOU GOT AN OFFICIAL LETTER...

OOOO! I LOVE OFFICIAL LETTERS!

HOPE IT'S NOT JURY DUTY...

I COULD NEVER SERVE ON A JURY. I DON'T HAVE TWELVE PEERS.

Dear Dog,

This is to inform you that you are one of the finalists for this year's Daisy Hill Puppy Cup Award.

THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP!! I'VE BEEN NOMINATED FOR THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP!!!

WHEEEEEEEEE

EEEEEEEEEEE!

THIS IS QUITE AN HONOR SNOOPY. ONLY A FEW DOGS ARE NOMINATED EACH YEAR.

I CAN'T BELIEVE SOMEONE IN THIS FAMILY HAS A REAL SHOT AT WINNING SOMETHING.

"TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP, NOMINEE MUST FILL OUT THE ENCLOSED FORM"...

Name of Owner_____

?

CHARLIE BROWN!!!

HOW EMBARRASSING...

SO THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP IS AWARDED TO THE OUTSTANDING NEIGHBORHOOD DOG OF THE YEAR...

YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE SOME PRETTY STRONG COMPETITION...

WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU CAN WIN?

THE WHOLE THING IS PROBABLY RIGGED ANYWAY. I BET SOME FRENCH POODLE HAS THE CUP LOCKED DOWN ALREADY.

HOW ARE YOU GOING TO TAKE ON A CORRUPT SYSTEM BY YOURSELF?

WITH CHARM AND GRACE!

HERE ARE SOME MORE RULES ABOUT THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP AWARD...

"EACH NOMINEE MUST SUBMIT FIVE LETTERS FROM INTERESTED PARTIES STATING WHY THEY SHOULD BE NAMED 'THE NEIGHBORHOOD DOG OF THE YEAR'."

DON'T ASK **ME** TO WRITE A LETTER FOR YOU! I WOULDN'T RECOMMEND YOU FOR "DOG OF THE MINUTE"!

WHEN'S THE LAST TIME YOU HELPED AN OLD LADY ACROSS THE STREET, HUH?!

I'VE NEVER EVEN SEEN YOU PLAY FETCH! WHAT KIND OF DOG DOESN'T PLAY FETCH?

WHAAH!

AND CRYING WON'T HELP!!

I would like to recommend my dog for the Daisy Hill Puppy Cup.

He is brave and loyal and

SNAP
SNAP

impatient

YOU WANT ME TO WRITE A LETTER RECOMMENDING YOU FOR "NEIGHBORHOOD DOG OF THE YEAR"?

I WON'T DO IT...YOU SHOULD WANT TO BE A GOOD DOG JUST TO BE GOOD, NOT FOR RECOGNITION OR ACCOLADES...

ZIP!

THIS IS BLACKMAIL!!

I would like to recommend Snoopy for Neighborhood Dog of the Year.

He is truly a dog among dogs.

LET'S SEE NOW... I HAVE TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION...

I HAVE ONE FROM THAT ROUND-HEADED KID AND ONE FROM THAT KID WITH THE BLANKET...I NEED THREE MORE...

FORGET IT!

SIGH

CAN IT BE MY LOOKS ARE FADING?

YOU WANT ME TO WRITE A LETTER RECOMMENDING YOU FOR "NEIGHBORHOOD DOG OF THE YEAR"?

WHEN DID YOU EVER SAY ANYTHING NICE ABOUT BEETHOVEN?

THE MAN WAS DEAF AND STILL MANAGED TO WRITE NINE SYMPHONIES AND THIRTY-TWO CONCERTOS!! AND YOU COULDN'T FIND THE TIME TO SAY ONE KIND WORD ABOUT HIM?!?

I NEVER KNEW THAT BEETHOVEN WANTED TO BE "NEIGHBORHOOD DOG OF THE YEAR"...

SIGH

TELL YOU WHAT, SNOOPY. I KNOW THIS IS IMPORTANT TO YOU...

IT'S IMPORTANT FOR ME TO SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT BEETHOVEN. IF YOU FIND ME A PLACE TO PLAY A PUBLIC CONCERT, I'LL FILL OUT THAT FORM FOR YOU...DEAL?

I'VE HEARD OF DINNER THEATER, BUT THIS IS RIDICULOUS...

BLEAH!

I'M NOT FILLING OUT A STUPID FORM FOR YOU!

AND ANOTHER THING...

SOME PEOPLE THINK HAPPINESS IS A WARM KITTEN!

WARM KITTEN?!

BLEAH!

I would like to nominate Snoopy for Neighborhood Dog of the Year because

though he has never scared away a burglar, he has made friends with several squirrels and some birds

and he's kind of fuzzy.

He is truly a good dog.

type type type type

He is also a loyal friend.

He is kind and considerate.

And humble to a fault.

Therefore, I would like to recommend ol' banana nose for Neighborhood Dog of the Year.

HEE HEE HEE HEE HEE HEE

ARGGG

SNOOPY SUBMITTED ALL HIS PAPERWORK FOR THE DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP LAST WEEK. HE'S BEEN CHECKING THE MAILBOX EVERY DAY.

AUGH!

BAM!

CRASH!

IF HE HAS TO WAIT MUCH LONGER, WE'RE GOING TO NEED A NEW MAILBOX...

SNOOPY! GUESS WHAT!

THE PAPER SAYS THE WINNER WILL BE ANNOUNCED TOMORROW!!

TOMORROW?! THAT DOESN'T LEAVE ME MUCH TIME. I BETTER GET STARTED!!

WHAT'S SNOOPY DOING?

HE'S BUILDING A TROPHY CASE...

I'VE GOT THE PAPER, SNOOPY!

THEY'VE ANNOUNCED THE WINNER OF THE "DAISY HILL PUPPY CUP"!

I THINK I'M GOING TO FAINT...

DON'T FAINT!

KLUNK!!

DIDN'T YOU HEAR ME?

SNOOPY?

QUIET, PLEASE! NEVER INTERRUPT A GOOD FAINT!

AND THE WINNER IS...

YOU DIDN'T WIN!

AAUGH!

I HATE THE WORLD! I HATE EVERYBODY AND EVERYTHING IN THE WHOLE STUPID WORLD-WIDE WORLD!!!

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE A GOOD LOSER...

THERE GOES THE MAILBOX...

WHEN YOU'VE LOST AT SOMETHING, YOU CAN REACT IN TWO WAYS...

ONE WAY IS TO ANALYZE JUST WHY YOU LOST...TRY TO FIGURE OUT WHAT YOUR WEAKNESSES WERE, AND THEN TRY TO IMPROVE SO THAT NEXT TIME YOU CAN WIN...

BLEAH!

THAT'S THE OTHER WAY!

BLEAH!

WHAT'S TO ANALYZE? THAT COCKAPOO PAID OFF THE JUDGES!

THEN AGAIN, WHY ANALYZE THE ARBITRARY...

BLEAH!

CHARLIE BROWN, TELL THAT DOG OF YOURS TO IMPROVE HIS ATTITUDE **OR ELSE!!**

HE'S JUST A LITTLE DISAPPOINTED RIGHT NOW, HE'LL SNAP OUT OF IT.

WELL, HE'S MAKING ME FEEL GUILTY FOR NOT FILLING OUT ONE OF THOSE RIDICULOUS FORMS FOR HIM!

HE'S SLANDERING MY GOOD NAME ALL OVER THE NEIGHBORHOOD!

UNDONE BY MISS CRABBY!

OH, GOOD GRIEF!

YOU KNOW WHAT I HAVE IN HERE?

A DOZEN DOUGHNUTS!

A PEACE OFFERING FROM ME TO YOU...

I KNOW DOUGHNUTS ALWAYS MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER.

VERY FUNNY!

YOU DRIVE ME CRAZY, BEAGLE. YOU'RE OBNOXIOUS AND STUBBORN.

BUT I MUST ADMIT THERE ARE ALSO TIMES WHEN I FEEL LIKE GIVING YOU A HUG...

I DIDN'T FILL OUT THAT DUMB FORM BECAUSE I KNEW THEY WERE LOOKING FOR NORMAL, BORING DOGS...

YOU ARE NEITHER NORMAL NOR BORING. WHAT I'M TRYING TO SAY IS...

THE END

DRESS to DEPRESS

WE GOT THE NOTICE YESTERDAY, MARCIE. THE SCHOOL'S NEW DRESS CODE WILL BE ENFORCED STARTING TOMORROW. I CAN'T STAND IT!

I CAN'T WEAR A DRESS EVERY DAY. THAT'S JUST NOT WHO I AM.

YOU CAN DO IT, SIR. JUST FIND A DRESS YOU LIKE AND IMAGINE EACH DAY IS A SPECIAL EVENT. LIKE A DANCE OR A QUINCEAÑERA.

HOW YOU DRESS MATTERS! IT HELPS DEFINE WHAT KIND OF PERSON YOU ARE...ARE YOU **COOL** OR **UNCOOL**? ARE YOU THE SANDALS OR LOAFERS TYPE? DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND THAT?

NO, I ADMIT I'VE NEVER UNDERSTOOD THAT, SIR...

STOP CALLING ME "SIR"!

HEY, FRANKLIN, DID YOU HEAR THE LATEST?

THE NEW DRESS CODE STARTS TOMORROW! CAN YOU BELIEVE IT? THEY DON'T WANT ME TO WEAR MY SHORTS AND SANDALS TO SCHOOL ANYMORE.

I THINK I'LL PUT IN FOR A TRANSFER.

TO A NEW SCHOOL?

NO, TO A NEW PLANET!

I THINK THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH THE WHOLE SYSTEM, BUT I DON'T KNOW WHAT WE CAN DO ABOUT IT...

IF THEY EVER LOWER THE VOTING AGE TO SEVEN, LOOK OUT!

A DRESS!

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D SEE THE DAY WHEN I'D BE WEARING A DRESS TO SCHOOL!

BY GOLLY, IF ANYONE LAUGHS AT ME, I'LL POUND HIM!

HEY! LOOK WHO'S WEARING A DRESS!

POUND!

ALL RIGHT, WHO'S NEXT?!

SOMEBODY'S ALWAYS TRYING TO CHANGE THINGS! IT'S THOSE PEOPLE ON THE SCHOOL BOARD! THEY ALWAYS GET CARRIED AWAY.

REMEMBER WHEN THEY TRIED TO GET US TO USE THE METRIC SYSTEM?

GIVE THEM AN INCH AND THEY TAKE A KILOMETER!

IN FACT, I'VE DECIDED TO PROTEST. STARTING TOMORROW, I WILL NOT ADHERE TO THE DRESS CODE. THEY'RE NOT GOING TO CHANGE WHO I AM!

YOU CAN'T FIGHT CITY HALL, SIR.

I DON'T WANT TO FIGHT IT. I JUST WANT TO REASON WITH IT.

NO, MA'AM, I DIDN'T WEAR A DRESS TODAY BECAUSE I'VE DECIDED TO DEFY THE DRESS CODE.

I DON'T THINK IT'S RIGHT FOR YOU TO TELL ME HOW TO DRESS SO LONG AS I AM NOT OFFENDING ANYONE.

I WILL NO LONGER SUFFER THIS INDIGNITY!! WHO'S WITH ME??!!

NO ONE, HUH?

SO LONG, FRANKLIN! THIS IS IT! WRITE TO ME "CARE OF THE TOWER OF LONDON".

YES, SIR!

PRINCIPAL

YES, SIR, I ADMIT THAT I HAVE DELIBERATELY CHOSEN TO DEFY THE SCHOOL DRESS CODE...

I KNEW THAT I'D PROBABLY BE SENT TO YOUR OFFICE...IN FACT, I WAS PREPARED FOR IT...

PRINCI

I BROUGHT MY ATTORNEY!

PRINCIPAL

WELL, SNOOPY, IT'S COME TO THIS...TOMORROW WE APPEAR BEFORE THE STUDENT COUNCIL.

I'M JUST STANDING UP FOR A CAUSE I BELIEVE IN. ISN'T THAT WHAT I'M SUPPOSED TO DO?

NO ONE SUPPORTS ME. MAYBE I SHOULD GIVE UP.

WHAT CAN YOU DO WHEN EVERYTHING SEEMS HOPELESS?

SMACK

THAT'S GOOD ADVICE!

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE STUDENT COUNCIL, SNOOPY, BUT HERE WE ARE...

YES, SIR, I KNOW HOW SERIOUS THIS IS...

"DE MINIMIS NON CURAT LEX...THE LAW DISREGARDS TRIFLES."

I DON'T BELIEVE ANYONE HAS THE RIGHT TO TELL ANOTHER PERSON WHAT SHE SHOULD WEAR.

IT'S A SILLY WASTE OF TIME AND SCHOOL RESOURCES!

BESIDES, MY DAD PICKED THIS OUTFIT FOR ME AND IT REMINDS ME OF HIM...

I REALLY DON'T HAVE ANYTHING ELSE TO SAY.

"MELE KALIKIMAKA IS THE THING TO SAY..."

I'M JUST GOING TO FOLLOW THE ADVICE OF MY ATTORNEY.

"YOU'VE GOT TO KNOW WHEN TO HOLD 'EM, KNOW WHEN TO FOLD 'EM."

THEY'RE DECIDING MY CASE NOW, SNOOPY...

ACTUALLY, I'M VERY CONFIDENT...I HAVE FAITH IN THE JUDGMENT OF MY FELLOW HUMAN BEINGS, AND I'M SURE THAT WITH YOUR HANDLING OF MY CASE I'LL BE FOUND...

GUILTY!!

HI, MARCIE. I'M AFRAID IT'S BAD NEWS.

YEAH, I LOST THE CASE... I HAVE TO SPEND EACH LUNCH HOUR STUDYING THE CONSTITUTION.

I DON'T MIND. I'M SURE IT'S A NICE DOCUMENT. AT LEAST I TRIED... I'M GOING TO GO TO BED EARLY AND JUST LAY THERE, DEPRESSED. SEE YOU TOMORROW.

WHAT AM I GOING TO DO? WHY DO THEY HAVE TO HAVE A DRESS CODE?

IF YOU WAKE UP, BUT DON'T OPEN YOUR EYES, WILL THE DAY GO AWAY?

I CAN'T GO TO SCHOOL WEARING A DRESS...I JUST CAN'T!

HERE I GO AGAIN. DEFYING THE DRESS CODE AGAINST MY ATTORNEY'S RECOMMENDATION. BUT I HAVE TO BE ME. NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS.

WHAT ELSE COULD THEY DO? MAKE ME STUDY THE MAGNA CARTA AFTER DINNER? I JUST WISH EVERYONE ELSE COULD SEE MY POINT...

GASP!

LOOKS LIKE WE'RE ALL GOING TO BE LEARNING A LOT ABOUT THE CONSTITUTION, SIR!!

The End

MY REPORT IS ON THE IMPORTANCE OF READING.

Sally Brown On Reading

IS KNOWING HOW TO READ IMPORTANT?

IT CERTAINLY IS.

IT KEEPS YOU FROM BUMPING INTO THINGS!

PLUS, IF YOU ENJOY EATING FOOD, READING WILL HELP YOU LEARN WHAT YOU CAN EAT AND WHAT IS POISON!

IF YOU DIDN'T KNOW HOW TO READ, HOW COULD YOU READ "WAR AND PEACE?"

IF YOU DON'T READ "WAR AND PEACE," LEO TOLSTOY WILL HATE YOU!

DO **YOU** WANT TO BE HATED BY LEO TOLSTOY?

LET'S SAY YOU GET A LETTER FROM YOUR GRANDMOTHER...

YOU THINK SHE'S WRITING YOU FOR HER HEALTH? WHAT IF SHE'S TELLING YOU SOMETHING IMPORTANT? LIKE THERE'S A CHECK ENCLOSED?

HERE'S SOMETHING ELSE TO THINK ABOUT.

DO YOU KNOW WHAT FRANCIS BACON SAID ABOUT READING?

"READING MAKETH A FULL MAN, CONFERENCE A READY MAN AND WRITING AN EXACT MAN."

NO ONE IS QUITE SURE WHAT THAT MEANS EXACTLY.

BUT WHO DOESN'T ENJOY THE SOUND OF BACON?

TO CONCLUDE... IS READING REALLY IMPORTANT?

IF YOU WERE TO ASK ME, I'D SAY, "YES"!

READING WILL HELP YOU WALK STRAIGHTER, EAT BETTER, AND PLEASE BOTH YOUR GRANDMOTHER AND SOME OLD WRITER.

AND MOST IMPORTANTLY...

IF I SAID, "NO," I'D GET A LOUSY GRADE!

The End

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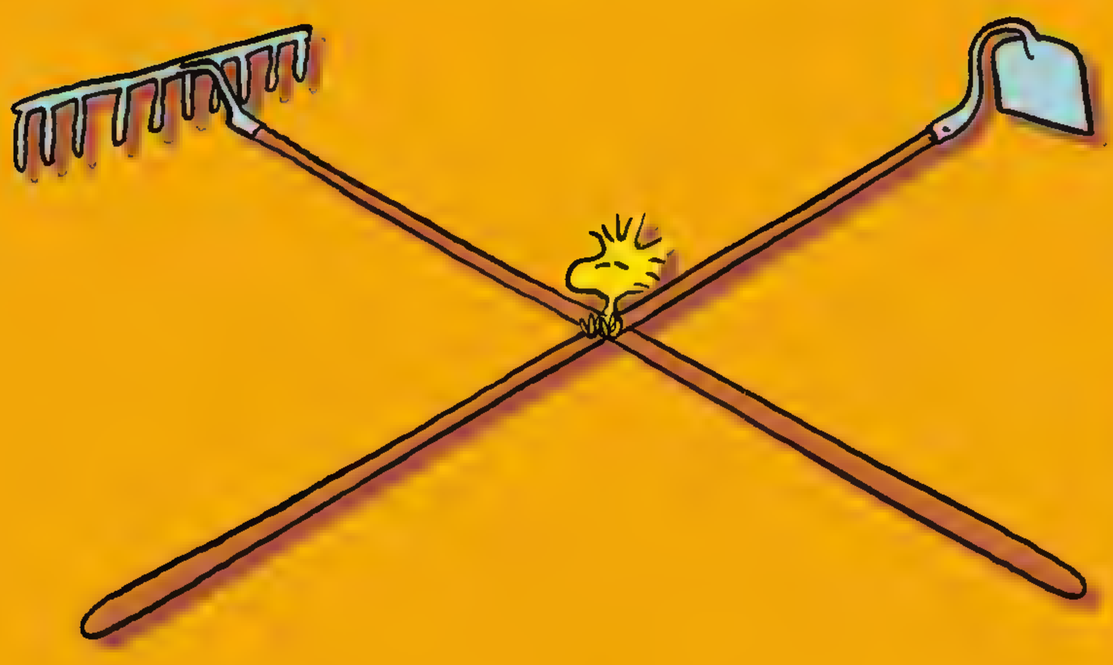

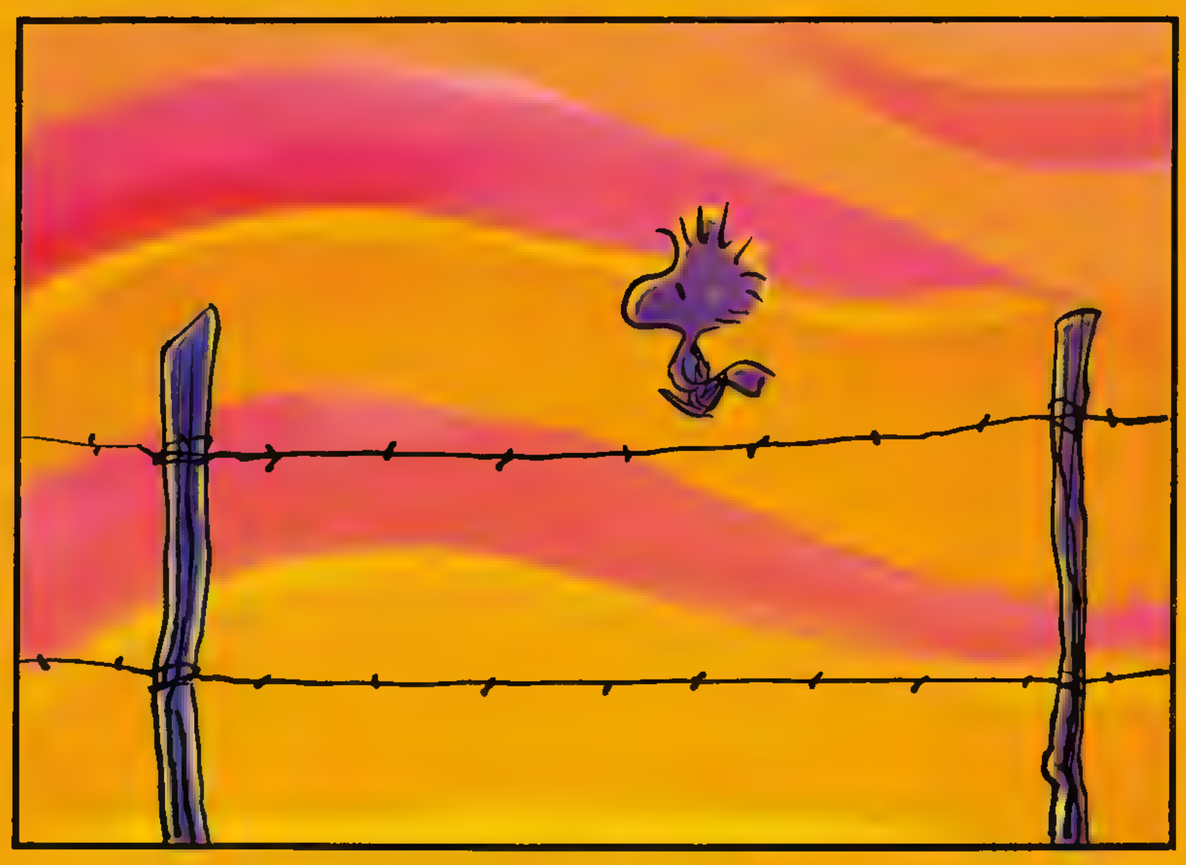

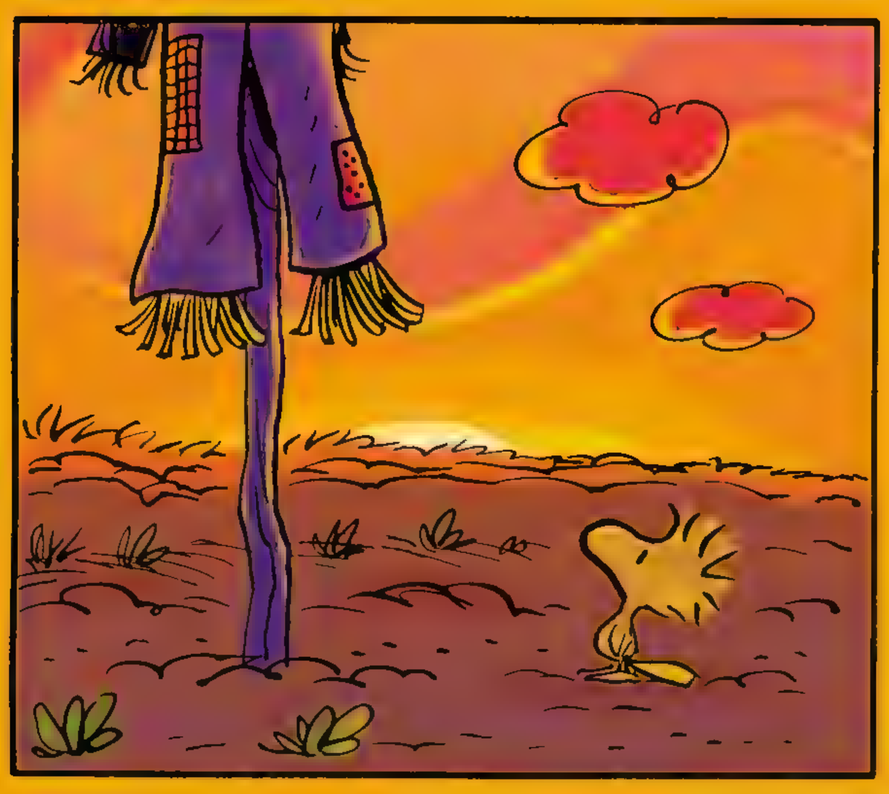

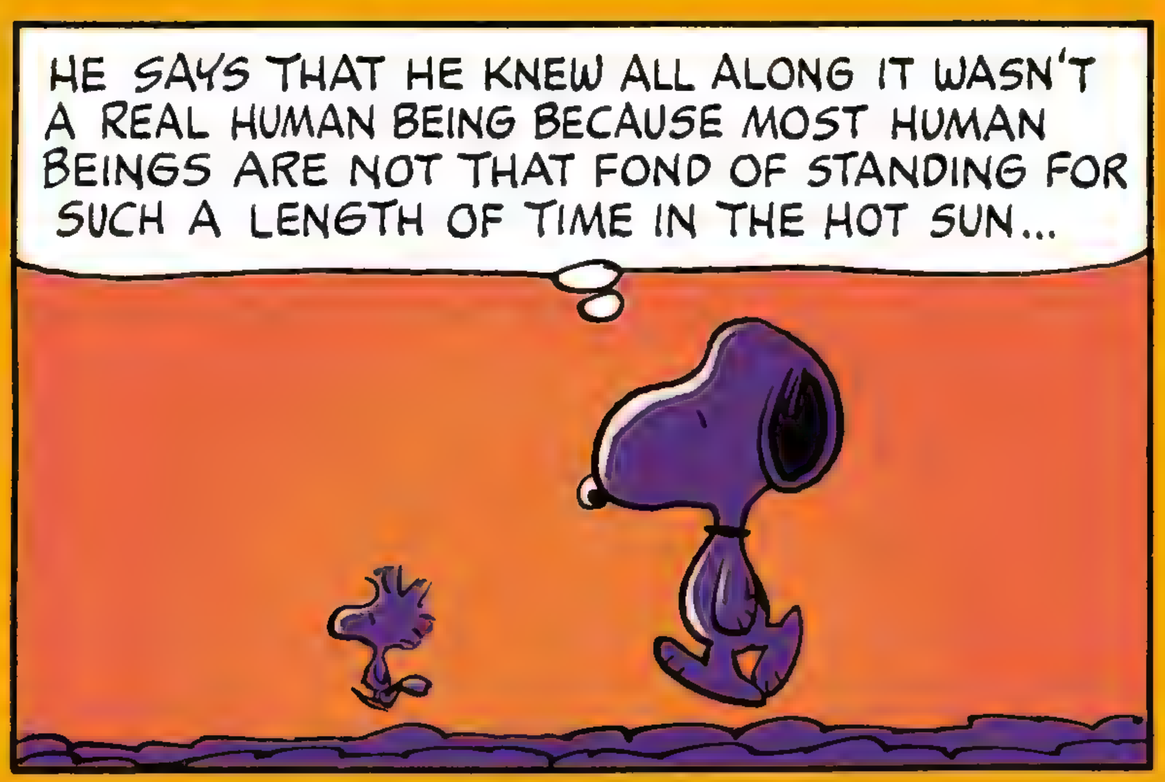
HE SAYS THAT HE KNEW ALL ALONG IT WASN'T A REAL HUMAN BEING BECAUSE MOST HUMAN BEINGS ARE NOT THAT FOND OF STANDING FOR SUCH A LENGTH OF TIME IN THE HOT SUN...

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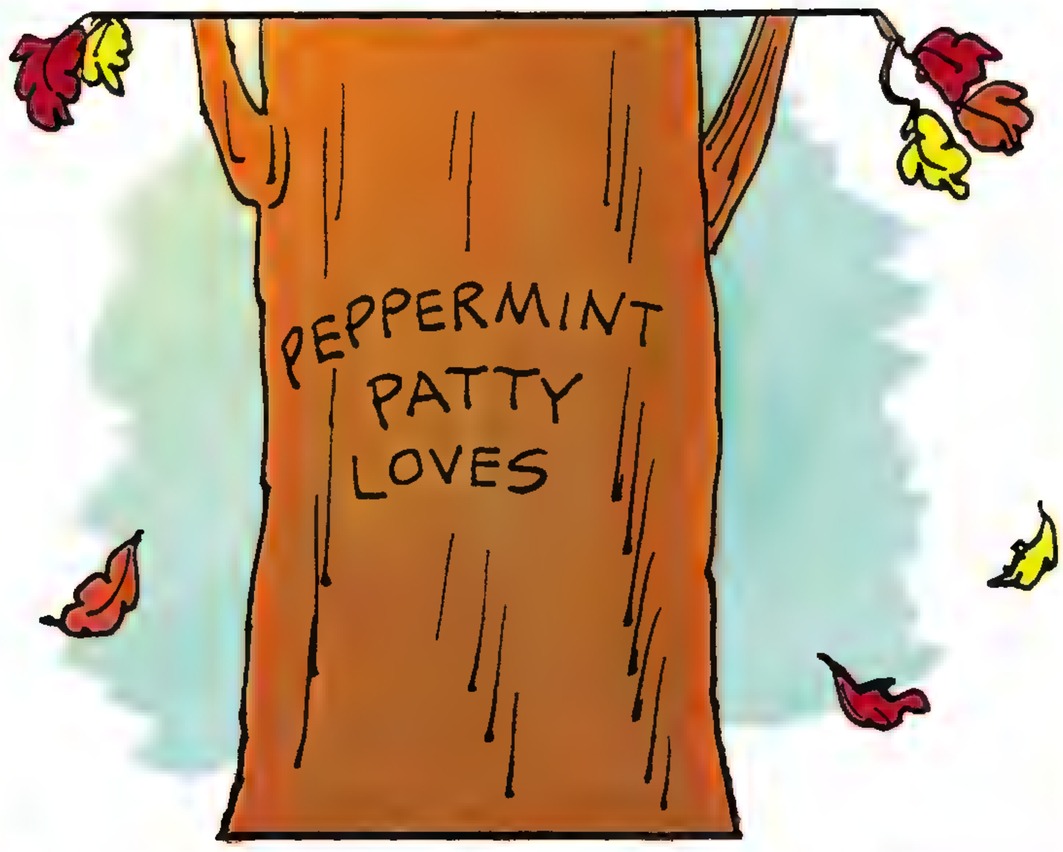

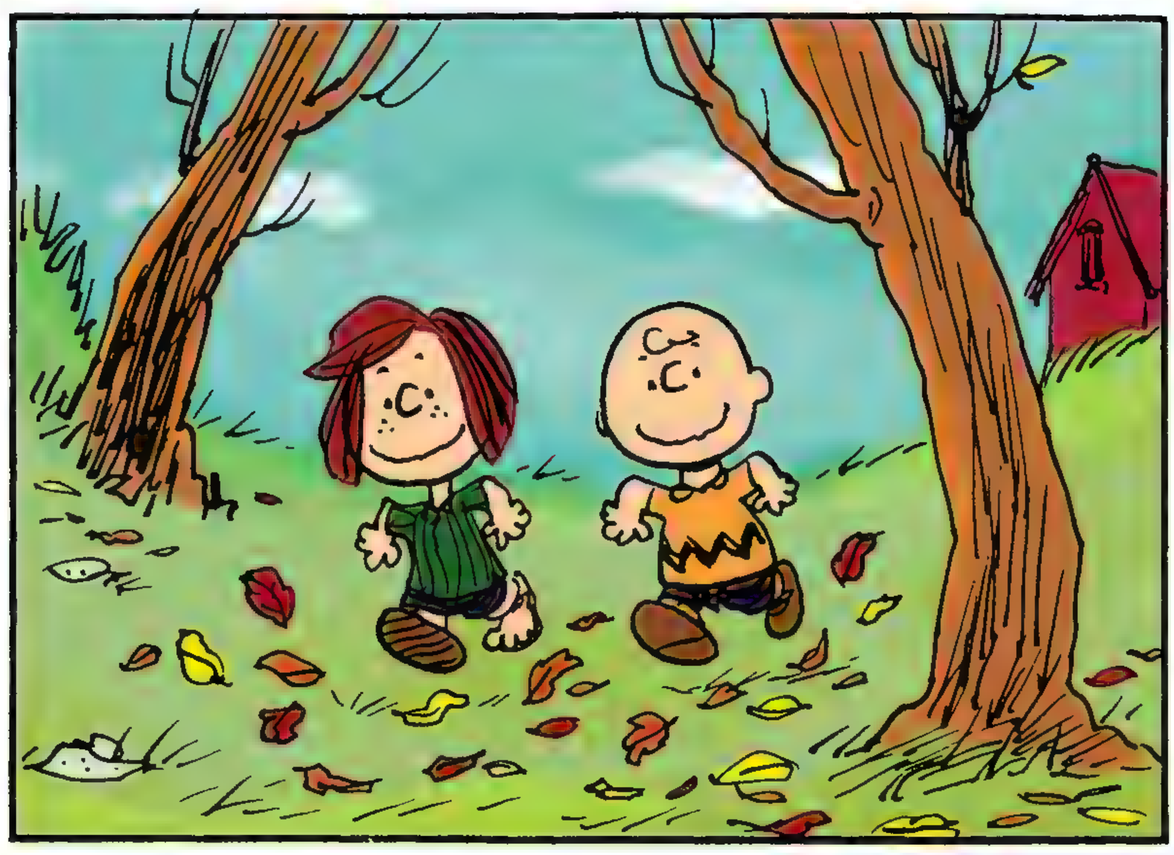

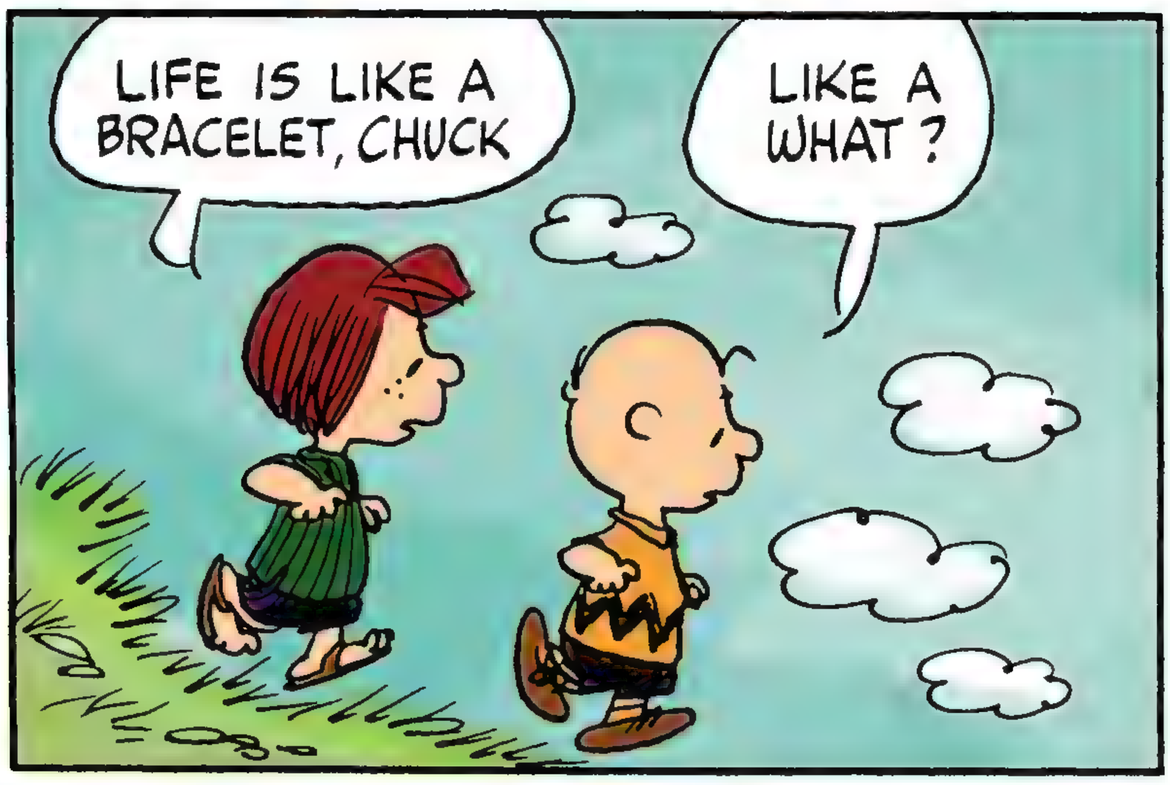

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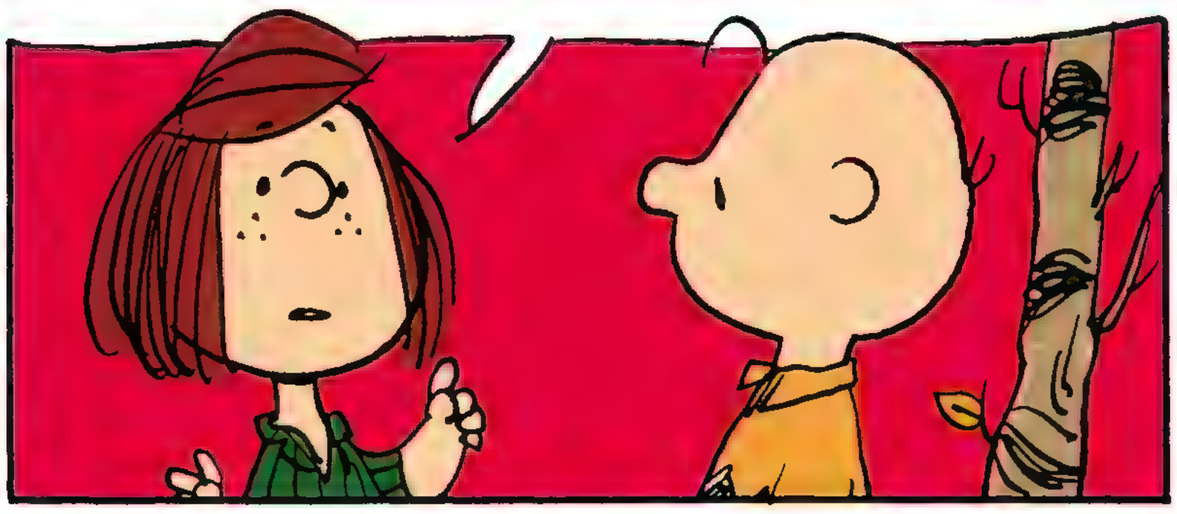
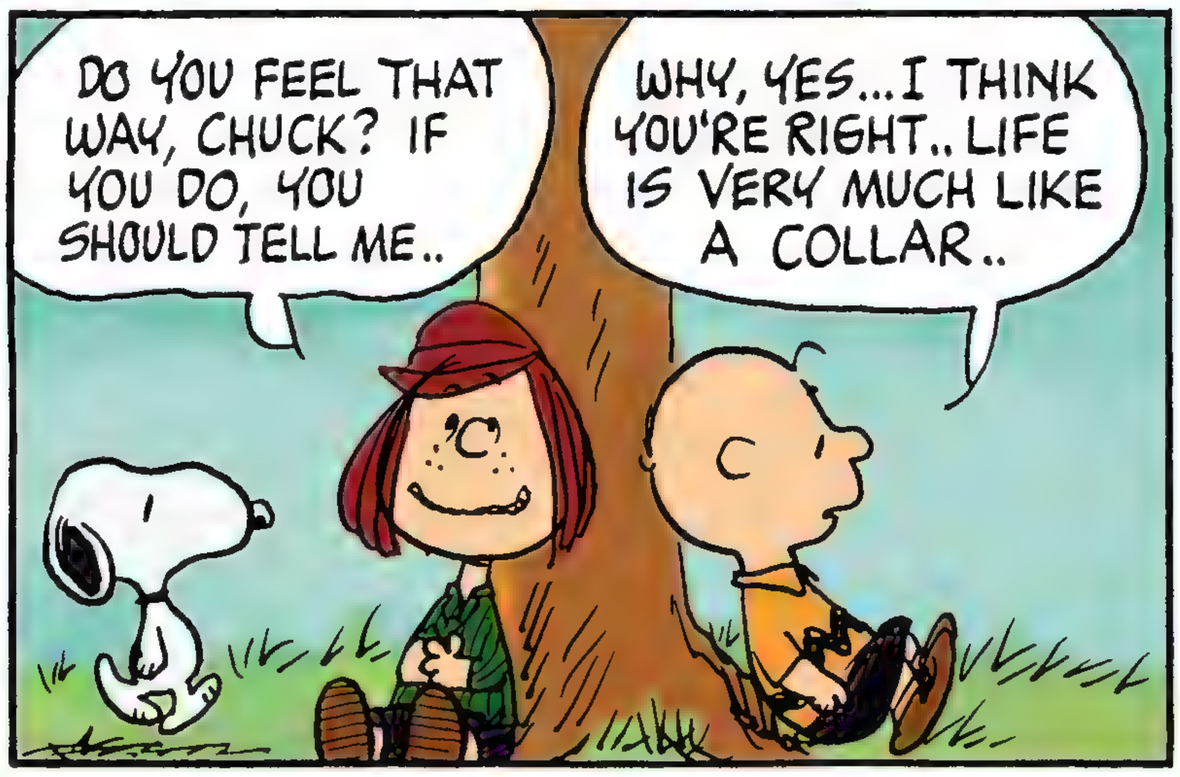
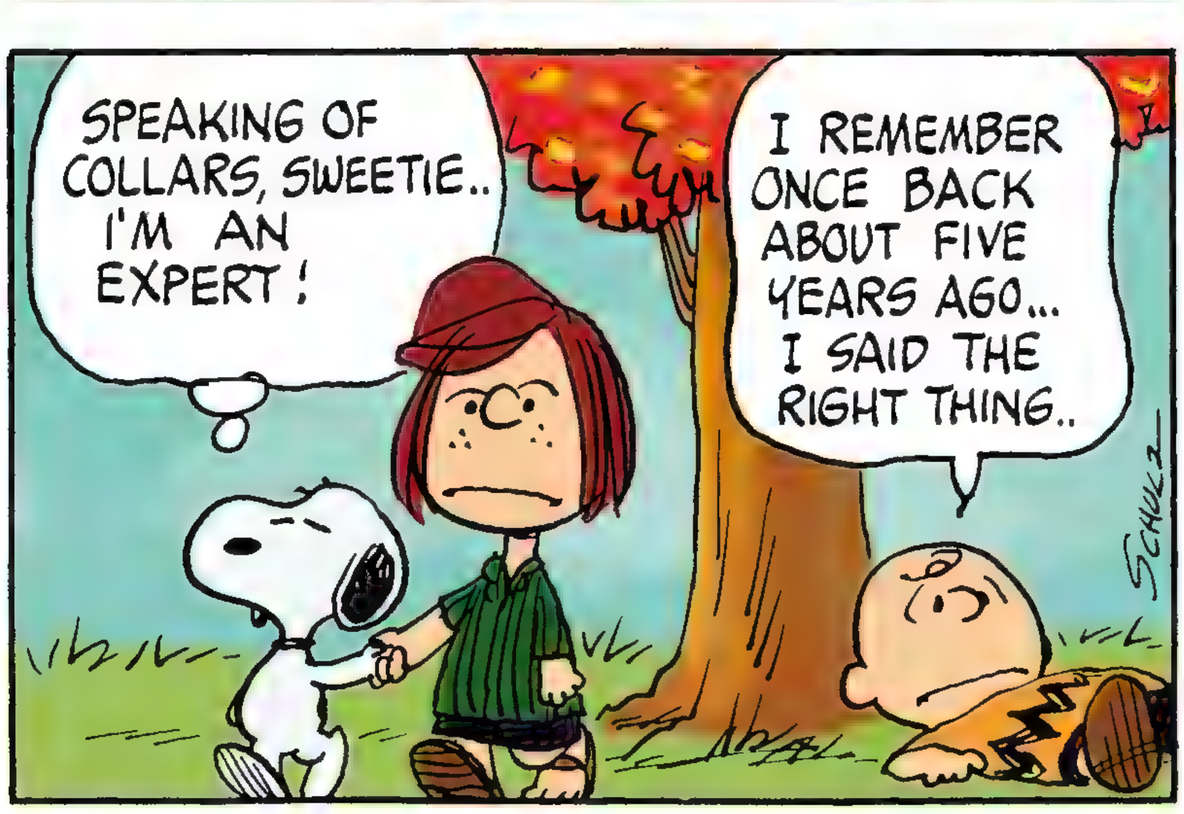


DO YOU FEEL THAT THIS HAS BEEN ONE OF THOSE BRIGHT MOMENTS, CHUCK? DO YOU FEEL THAT THIS HOUR WE HAVE HAD TOGETHER HAS BEEN LIKE A DIAMOND SET IN A BRACELET?





DAISY HILL DAYS

I THINK IT'S MIGRATING TIME...

MILLIONS OF BIRDS ARE TAKING OFF FOR WARMER CLIMATES.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, YOU'RE NOT GOING? THE WEATHER'S GETTING COLD. YOU MIGHT FREEZE.

WHY WOULDN'T YOU MIGRATE?

WHY WOULD SOMEONE MUG YOU? YOU DON'T EVEN CARRY A WALLET!

IF YOU DON'T FLY SOUTH, YOU'LL MISS OUT ON A SACRED RITE OF PASSAGE FOR A BIRD.

IT SOUNDS LIKE AN INTERESTING EXPERIENCE...

FLYING SOUTH, FINDING YOUR WAY, GUIDED ONLY BY A SINGLE STAR...

OR TRAVELING BY THE MYSTERIOUS LINES OF MAGNETIC FORCE...

OR TALKING A STUPID FRIEND INTO GOING WITH YOU.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ARE THEY GOING?

IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE MIGRATING...

MIGRATING?

HEY, DOG, HASN'T ANYONE EVER TOLD YOU BEAGLES DON'T MIGRATE?!

YOU TWO LOOK RIDICULOUS!

I HATE BEING MOCKED BY THE LOUD AND UNINFORMED!

WHAT I DON'T UNDERSTAND IS HOW WE KNOW WHEN WE'VE MIGRATED TO WHERE WE'RE MIGRATING...

DO WE JUST SUDDENLY STOP AND SAY, "WE'RE HERE!" OR WILL SOMEONE BE THERE TO GREET US?

WILL THERE BE SOME SORT OF SIGN? WILL THERE BE A CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST?

I HATE NOT KNOWING WHERE I'M GOING. LET'S FACE IT, MIGRATING IS FOR THE BIRDS!

ALL RIGHT. THIS LOOKS LIKE A NICE LITTLE SPOT.

YOU CAN MIGRATE HERE FOR THE WINTER...HAVE A GOOD TIME...I'LL SEE YOU IN THE SPRING.

I KNEW THIS WOULD HAPPEN! THE BIRD IS A CHICKEN!

ALL RIGHT, LITTLE FRIEND, LET'S MIGRATE HOME...

I WOULD HAVE MISSED YOU THIS WINTER, ANYWAY...

WHO WOULD I HAVE TOO MANY ROOT BEERS WITH ON NEW YEAR'S EVE?

WAIT A MINUTE...I KNOW THIS PLACE...

YOU KNOW WHERE WE ARE? WE'RE NEAR THE DAISY HILL PUPPY FARM!

I CAN SHOW YOU WHERE I WAS BORN! I CAN SHOW YOU WHERE WE ATE AND WHERE WE PLAYED AND EVERYTHING!

ISN'T THIS EXCITING!?

* YAWN! *

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FUTURE HOME
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DAISY HILL SHOPPING MALL

WHAT?!!!

AAUGH!

WHAT'S WRONG?

YOU LOOK UPSET...

GOOD GRIEF!

WHAT'S SNOOPY DOING?

THEY'RE GOING TO TEAR DOWN THE DAISY HILL PUPPY FARM!

SNOOPY IS STANDING ON HIS HEAD IN PROTEST.

OH NO! THAT'S TERRIBLE! WHY ARE THEY TEARING IT DOWN?

THEY'RE GOING TO BUILD A SHOPPING MALL!

A MALL? WILL IT HAVE NICE SHOPS AND SELL FROZEN YOGURT?

MOST LIKELY.

WELL, PROGRESS IS PROGRESS.

!

STOP THE MALL! SAVE DAISY HILL!

GOOD LUCK, SNOOPY. FIGHT THE POWER.

STOP THE MALL! SAVE DAISY HILL!

STOP THE MALL! SAVE DAISY HILL!

WILL THE MALL SELL FROZEN YOGURT?

!

BOOT!

SIGH

FEELING HELPLESS?

HOPELESS?

LIKE NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU TRY, YOU KNOW IT WON'T BE ENOUGH?

LIKE YOU'RE DOOMED TO FAIL?

WELCOME TO THE CLUB, OL' PAL...

PSYCHIATRIC HELP 5¢

THE DOCTOR IS IN

SNOOPY HAS A PROBLEM. WE BOTH DO, REALLY...

IF I'M TO SOLVE TWO PROBLEMS AT ONCE, I MUST ASK YOU TO PAY IN ADVANCE. TEN CENTS, PLEASE.

TEN CENTS?!

TWO CLIENTS EQUALS TWO NICKELS.

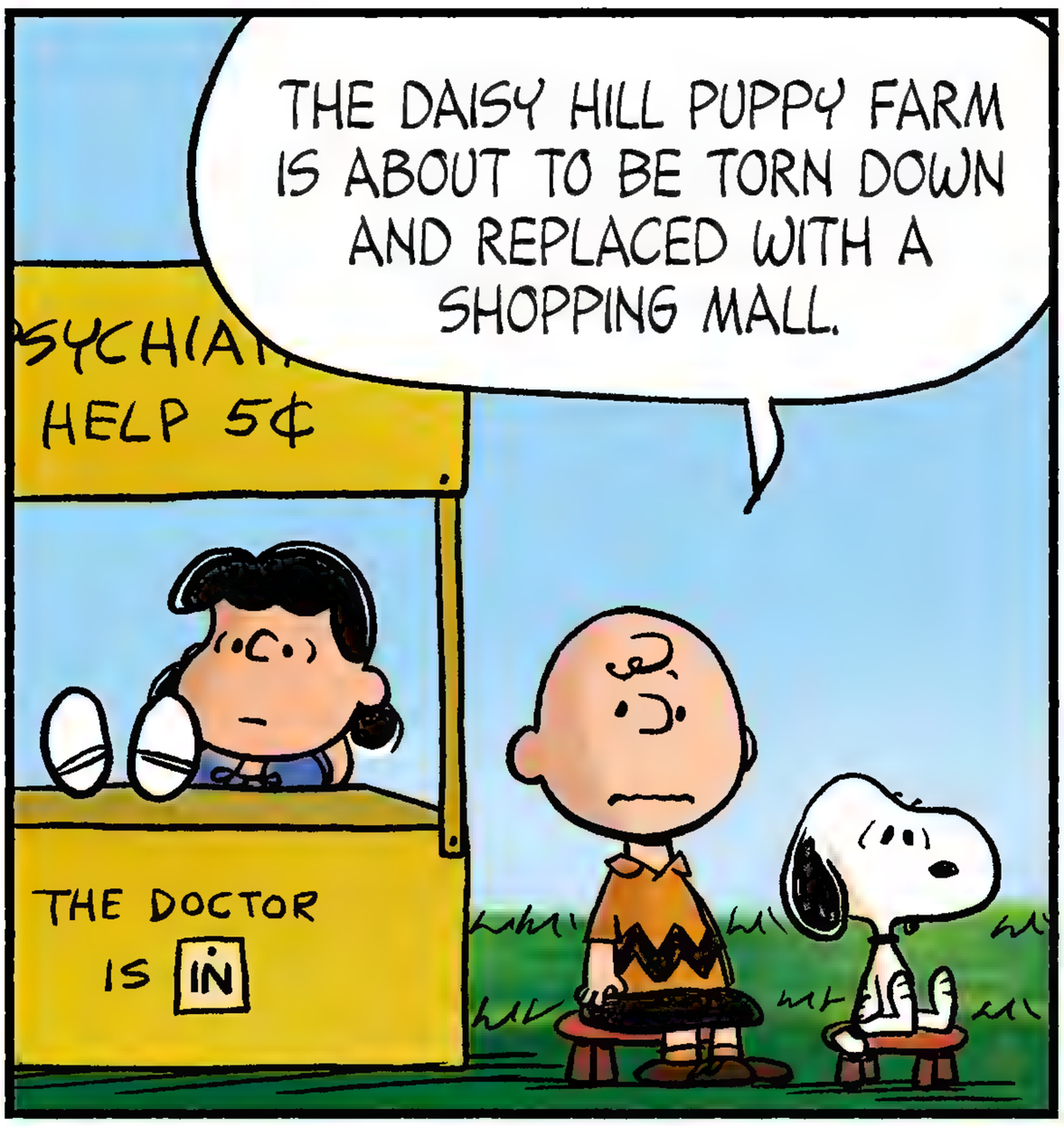
PLUNK PLUNK

AH, THE ONLY SOUND MORE MAGICAL THAN A NICKEL PLUNKING IS THE SOUND OF **TWO** NICKELS PLUNKING!

THE DOCTOR

SO WHAT SEEMS TO BE YOUR RESPECTIVE PROBLEMS?

THE DOCTOR IS IN


THE DAISY HILL PUPPY FARM IS ABOUT TO BE TORN DOWN AND REPLACED WITH A SHOPPING MALL.
HELP 5¢
THE DOCTOR IS IN

SO A CRUMMY OLD FARMHOUSE IS BEING TORN DOWN. WHY SHOULD THAT BOTHER YOU?
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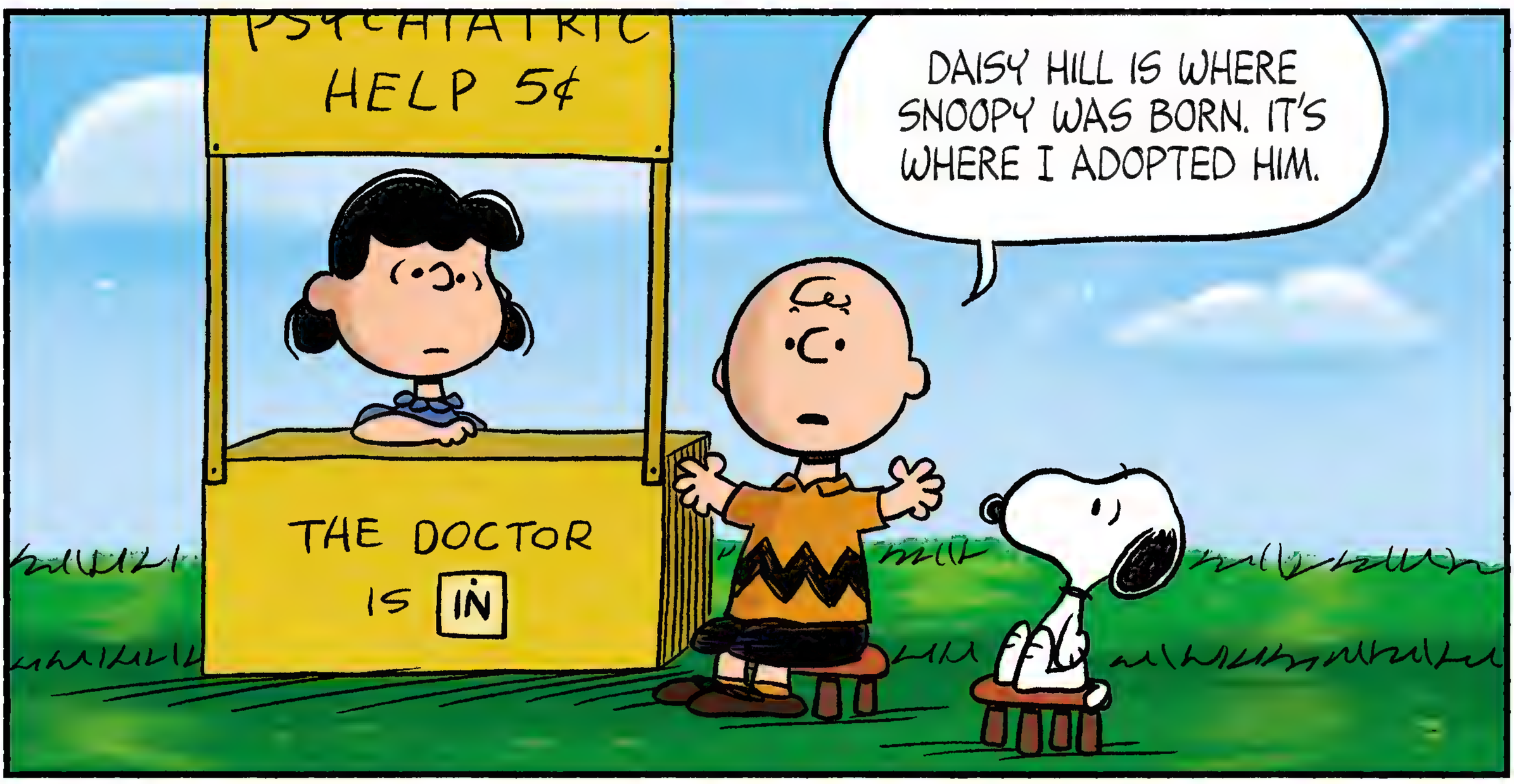
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THE DOCTOR IS IN
DAISY HILL IS WHERE SNOOPY WAS BORN. IT'S WHERE I ADOPTED HIM.

I CRASHED MY FIRST SOPWITH CAMEL IN THE FIELD OUT BACK.

WE FEEL LIKE... WE'RE LOSING PART OF OUR PAST...
* SIGH *

PSYCIAT
HEL

HMM...

THE DOCTOR
IS

CHARLIE BROWN, WE KIDS HAVE A GREAT ENEMY.

THE RED BARON?

THE DOCTOR IS IN

TIME...TIME PASSES BY MERCILESSLY.

FIRST, YOU'RE YOUNG AND CAREFREE, ADOPTING PUPPIES FROM A FARM...

THE DOCTOR IS IN

NEXT THING YOU KNOW, YOU'RE WISHY-WASHY AND YOUR DELUSIONAL BEAGLE IS FLYING A DOGHOUSE IN WORLD WAR I...

BUILDINGS GO UP, BUILDINGS FALL DOWN... PEOPLE COME AND PEOPLE GO...

TIME MARCHES ON...LIKE SOLDIERS HEADED TO THE FROZEN YOGURT SHOP.

I'M SORRY YOU CAN'T STOP THEM FROM TEARING DOWN DAISY HILL...

WHAT IF I HANDCUFFED MYSELF TO A BULLDOZER?

YOU KNOW, THE BUILDING MAY DISAPPEAR, BUT NOT THE MEMORIES YOU CREATED THERE.

YOU JUST NEED CLOSURE. YOU SHOULD GO BACK TO DAISY HILL ONE LAST TIME. MAYBE HAVE A LITTLE GOODBYE PARTY...

LINUS! THAT IS REALLY GREAT ADVICE.

MAYBE YOU SHOULD OPEN UP YOUR OWN PSYCHIATRY BOOTH!

I THINK ONE DOCTOR IN OUR FAMILY IS MORE THAN ENOUGH...

I WROTE LETTERS TO ALL MY BROTHERS AND MY SISTER! I INVITED THEM TO DAISY HILL ONE LAST TIME!

I'M EXCITED! IT'S GOING TO BE A HUGE CELEBRATION!

YOU KNOW WHAT ARISTOTLE SAID, "NOTHING CHASES THE BLUES AWAY LIKE DOUGHNUTS AND ROOT BEER!"

HE DIDN'T?

MAYBE IT WAS SOCRATES...

"DEAR SNOOPY..."

Thank you for the invitation, but I am currently participating in a local bowling tournament and cannot attend.

The tournament is quite intense, but I am doing my best.

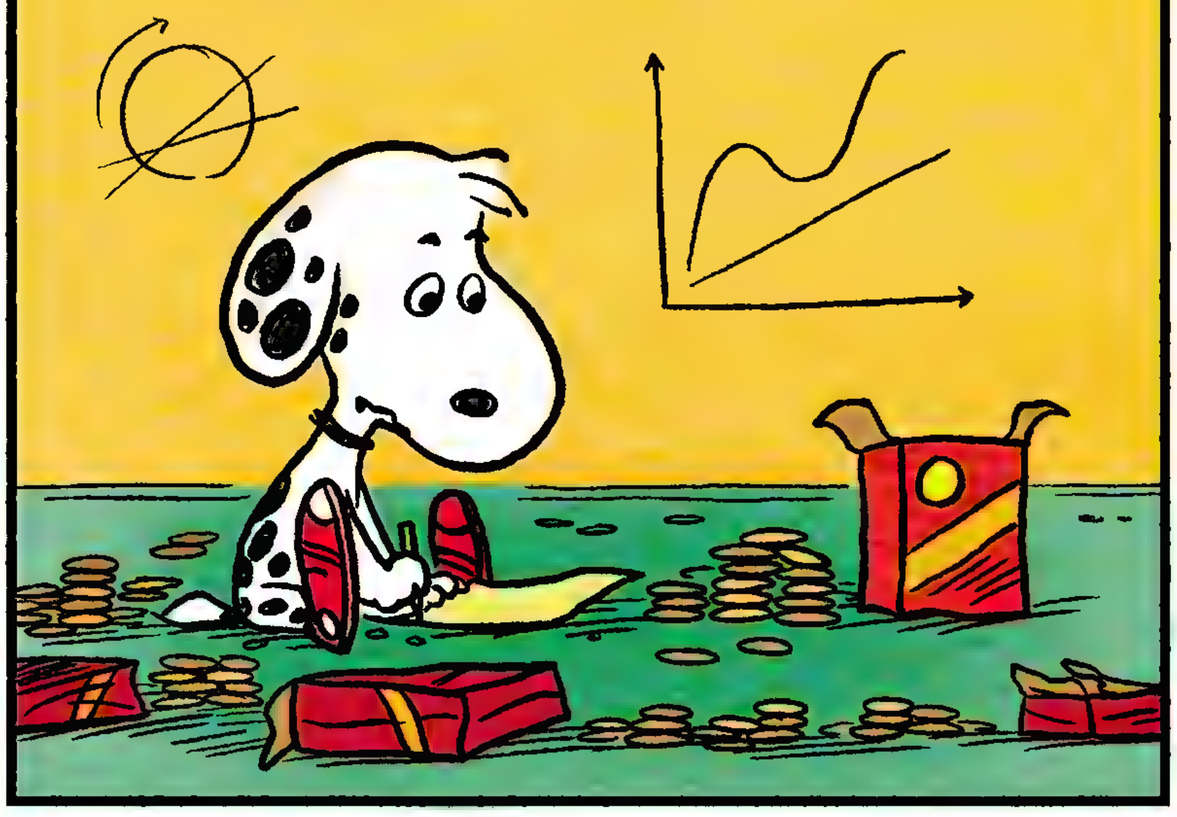
Say goodbye to the Daisy Hill Puppy Farm for me. I will always remember the delicious kibble.

Mostly because it was the last time I ever ate kibble.

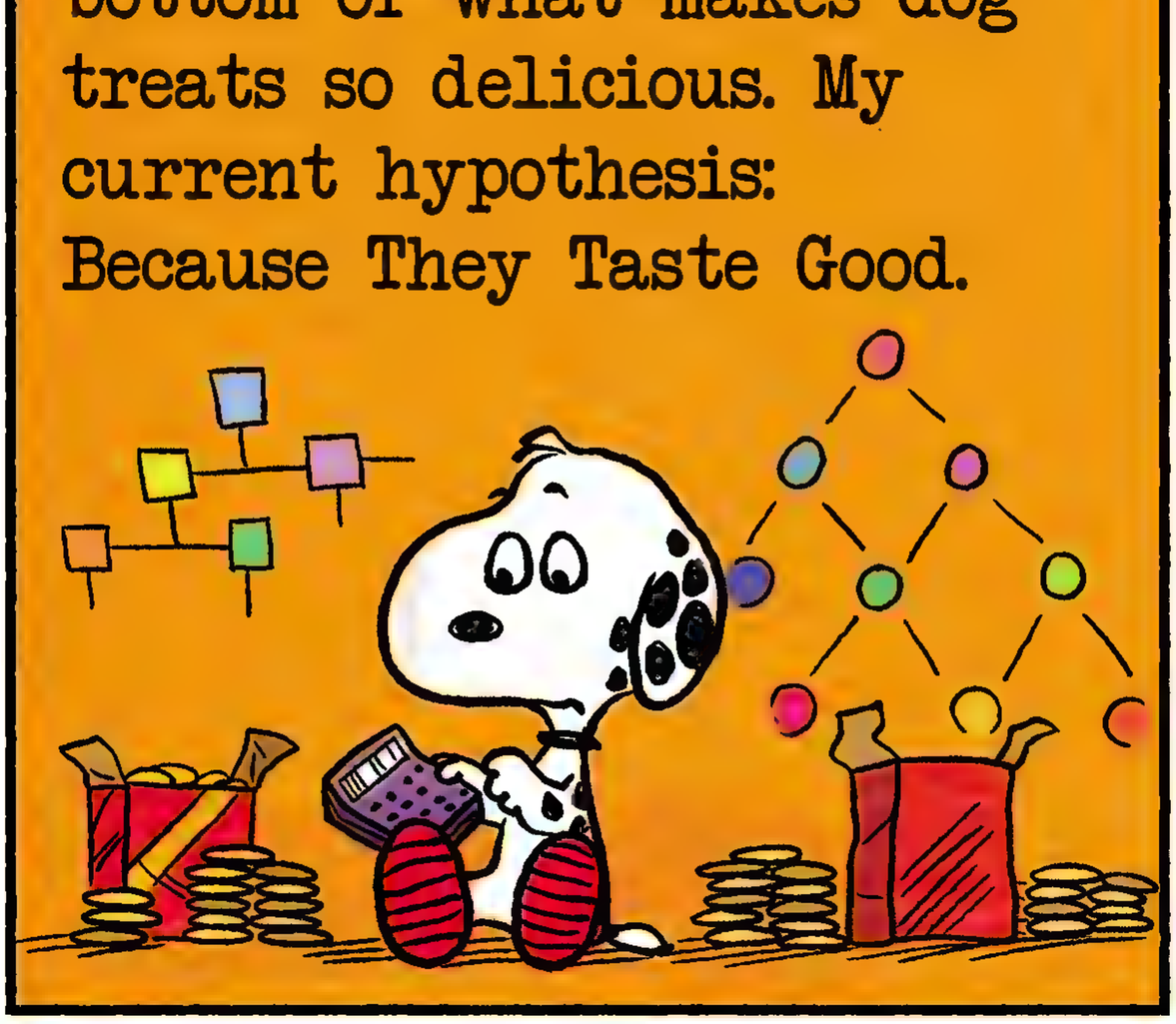
"YOUR BROTHER, SPIKE".

RATS.

I am currently researching a fascinating subject and as such must respectfully decline your invitation.

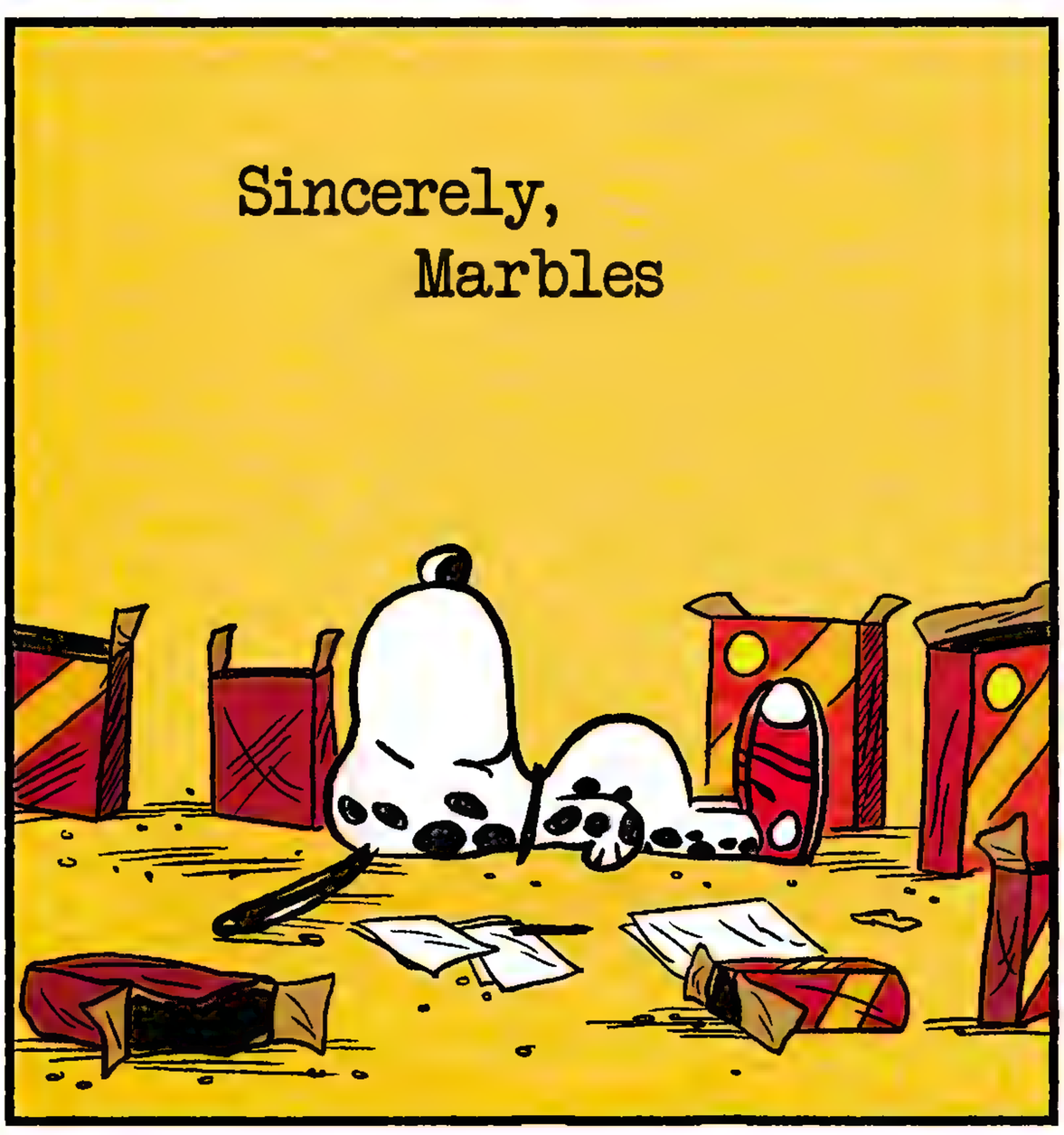


I am trying to get to the bottom of what makes dog treats so delicious. My current hypothesis: Because They Taste Good.



More research is needed. Have a nice time at our old home.

Sincerely,
Marbles



"P.S. I RECENTLY ACQUIRED A NEW PAIR OF SNEAKERS. THEY ARE QUITE COMFORTABLE."

"DEAR SNOOPY..."

The post office forwarded your letter to us. We don't know how they found us.

The mail carrier also gave us half a tuna sandwich and some one cent stamps.

Sadly, we won't be able to come to your party. We are currently on a walkabout. Next stop, the wild jungles of Petaluma.

I THINK WE'RE GETTING CLOSE...I CAN SMELL CURRY.

Say hello to the rest of the family for us.

I DON'T SEE ANY WILD JUNGLES.

IS THAT A PUMPKIN PATCH?

"YOUR BROTHERS, ANDY & OLAF".

"DEAR SNOOPY..."

I was so happy to hear from you. I think of Daisy Hill quite often. We had some wonderful times there...

Unfortunately, I cannot attend your gathering. I have started taking some community college classes. I am really enjoying "High Style Fashion".

And, strangely enough, "Beginning Accounting".

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1825×

Your loving sister,
Belle

NO ONE CAN COME...

READY TO GO, SNOOPY?

NO ONE CAN COME...I HAVE TO GO, ALL ALONE...

AT LEAST WE'RE TOGETHER, HUH, SNOOPY? A BOY AND HIS DOG...

WITH NO FAMILY, NO FRIENDS, I MUST SAY GOODBYE TO THE PLACE THAT MEANS MORE TO ME THAN...

"NOW OPEN! DAISY HILL MALL AND CONVENTION CENTER! AIR CONDITIONING! PLENTY OF PARKING!!"

I CAN'T STAND IT! WE'RE TOO LATE! YOU STUPID PEOPLE! YOU'RE PARKING ON MY MEMORIES!!

SO MANY MEMORIES... GONE...

MEMORIES ARE NEVER GONE, SNOOPY. THEY LAST FOREVER.

SNF SNF

THIS IS PRETTY GOOD YOGURT...

I HOPE IT'S GLUTEN-FREE...

THE END

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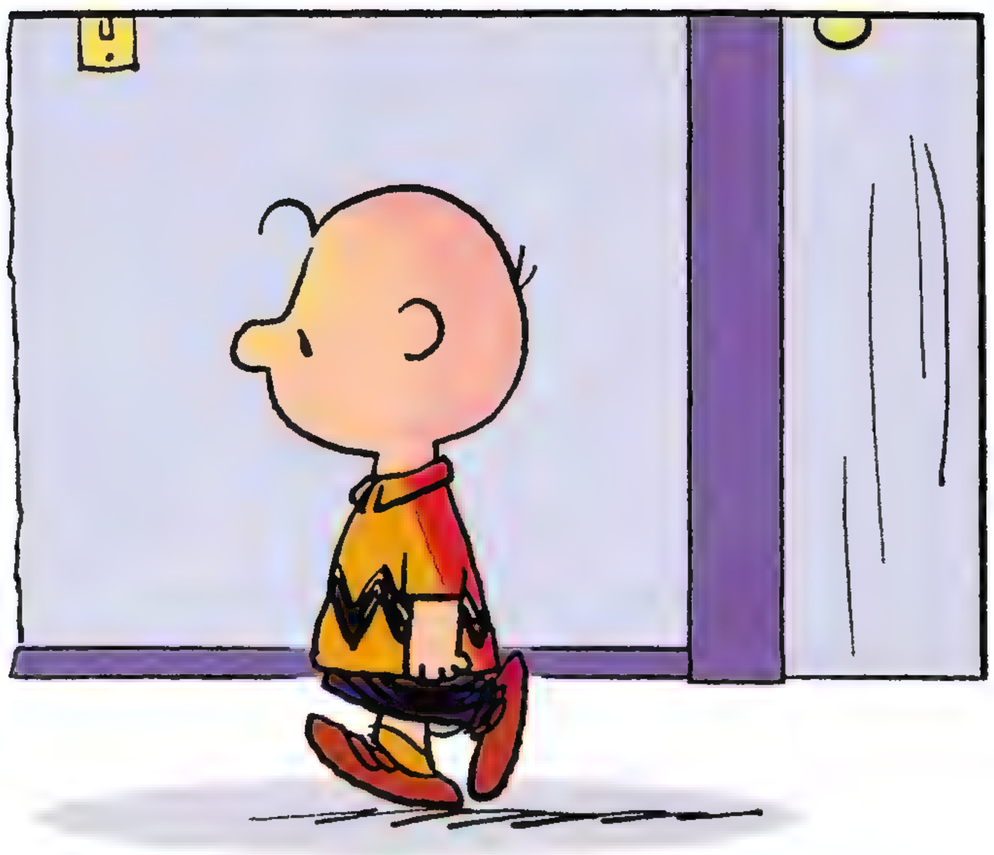

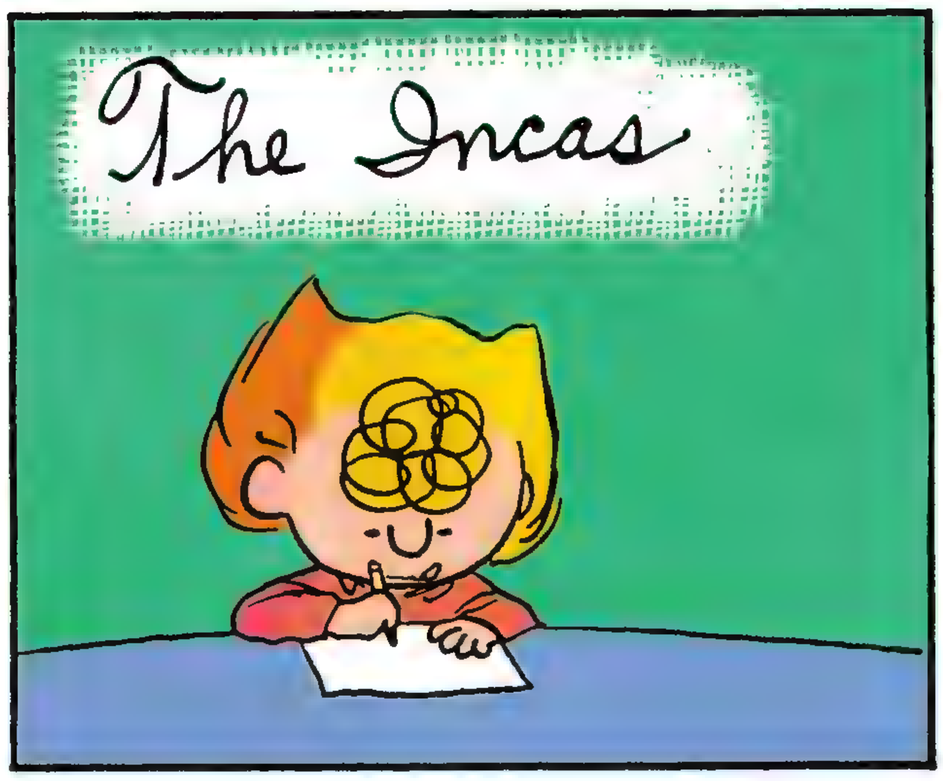

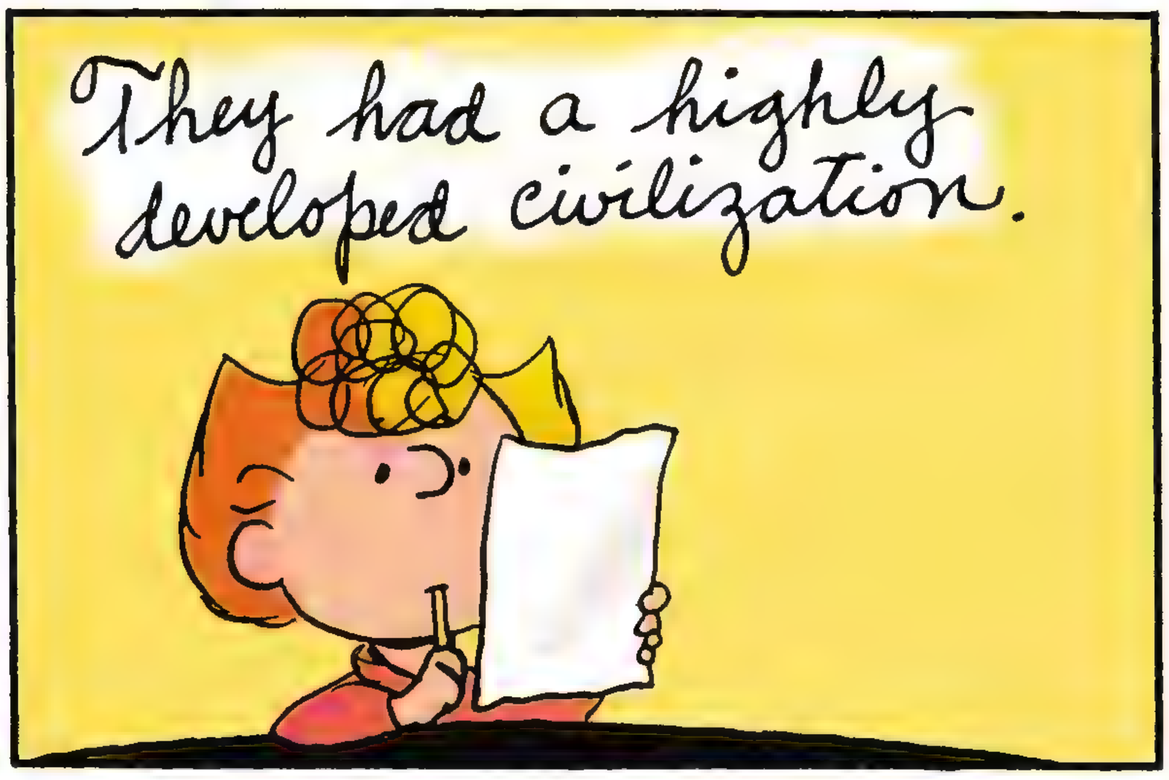

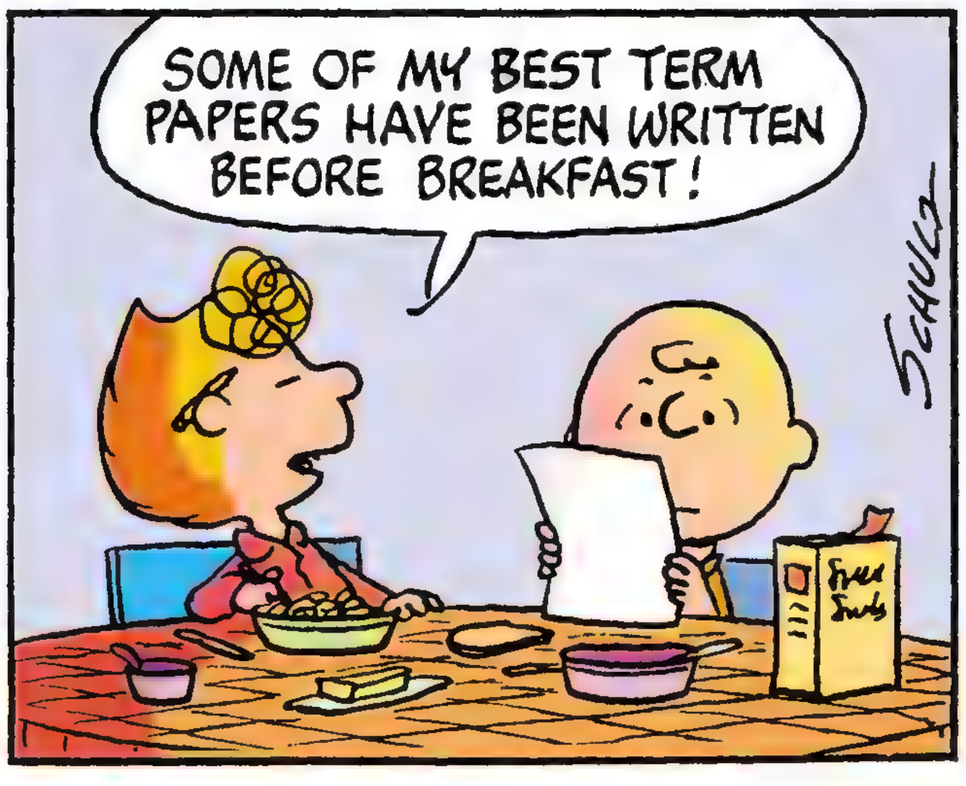

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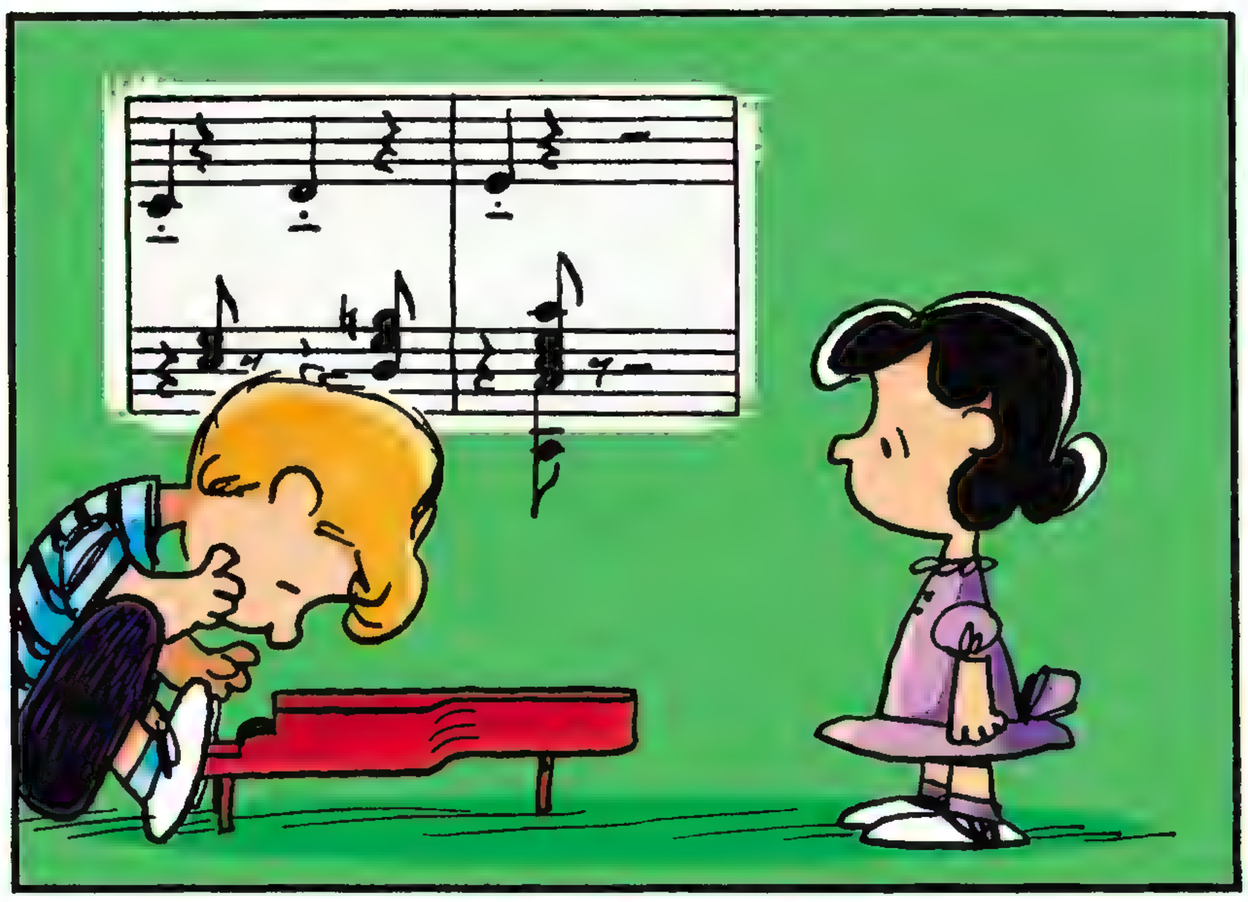
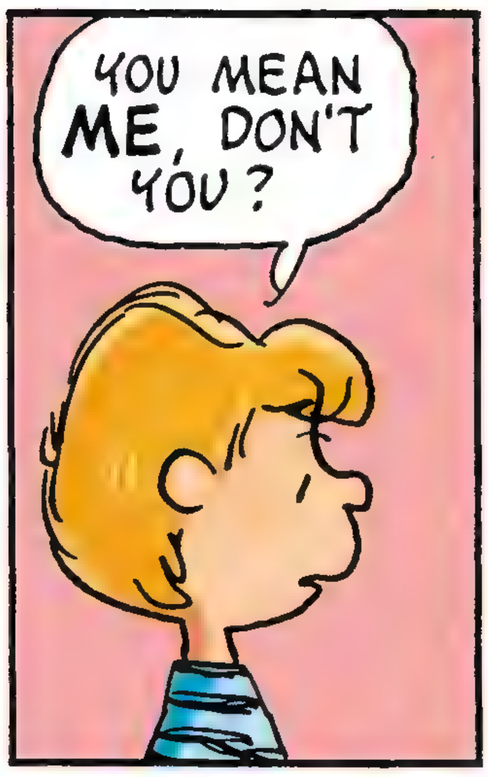
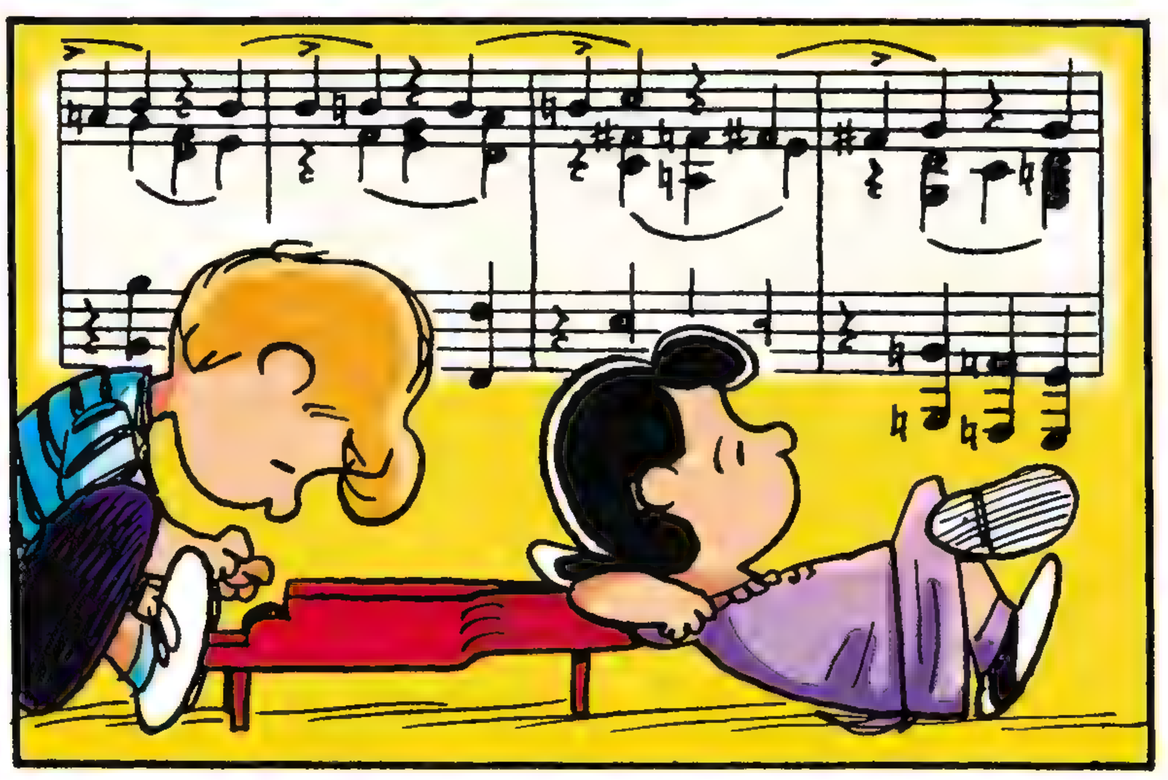
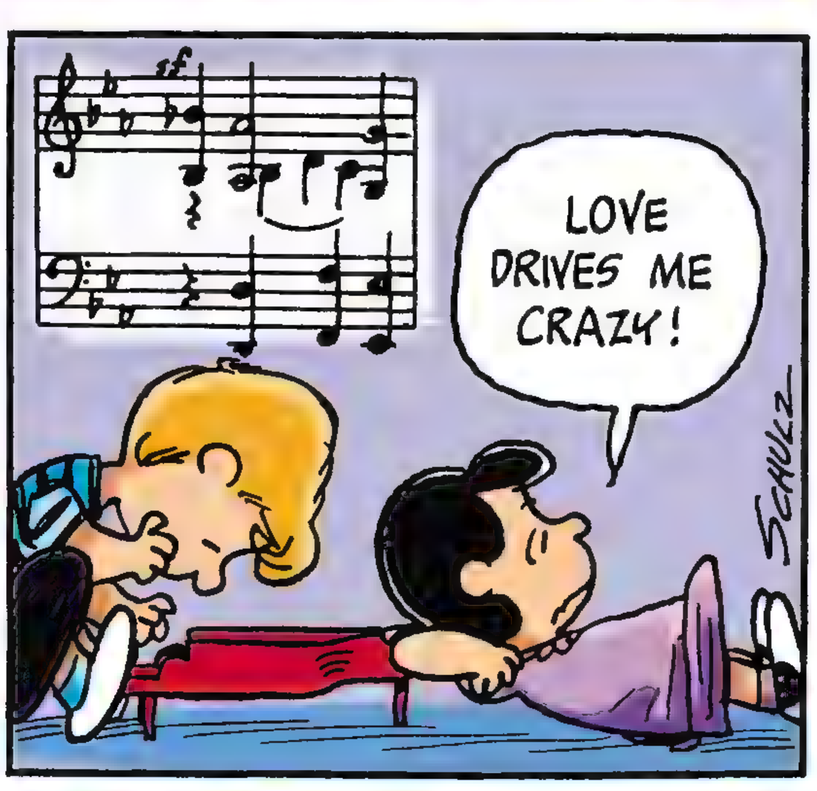








TRADING BASES

I'VE BEEN GOING OVER OUR BASEBALL STATISTICS FOR THIS PAST YEAR...

WHEN I THINK OF ALL THOSE GAMES WE LOST, I GET SICK...

SO I'VE MADE A BIG DECISION...

THIS IS THE TIME OF YEAR WHEN ALL THE BIG BASEBALL TRADES ARE MADE...I'M GOING TO TRY TO IMPROVE OUR TEAM WITH A FEW SHREWD TRADES.

THAT'S A GREAT IDEA, CHARLIE BROWN...

WHY DON'T YOU TRADE YOURSELF?

HELLO, PEPPERMINT PATTY? I WAS WONDERING IF YOU'D BE INTERESTED IN TRADING A FEW BASEBALL PLAYERS...

WELL, I DON'T KNOW, CHUCK...THE ONLY GOOD PLAYER YOU HAVE IS THAT LITTLE KID WITH THE BIG NOSE...

YOU MEAN, SNOOPY? OH, NO. I COULD NEVER TRADE HIM...I WAS THINKING MORE OF LUCY...

HELLO? HELLO?

HOW ARE YOUR BASEBALL TRADES COMING, CHARLIE BROWN?

TERRIBLE...PEPPERMINT PATTY SAID SHE'S ONLY INTERESTED IN SNOOPY... I TOLD HER "NO"...BUT MAYBE I WAS WRONG...

YOU MEAN YOU'D TRADE YOUR OWN DOG JUST TO WIN A FEW BALL GAMES?!

"**WIN**"...HAVE YOU EVER NOTICED WHAT A BEAUTIFUL WORD THAT IS? "WIN!" WHAT A WONDERFUL SOUND! "WIN!" "WIN!" "WIN!"

SAY, PEPPERMINT PATTY... I'VE DECIDED TO TAKE YOU UP ON YOUR OFFER...

THAT'S GREAT CHUCK! I'LL GIVE YOU FIVE PLAYERS FOR SNOOPY...I GUARANTEE IT'LL IMPROVE YOUR TEAM...I CAN WRITE UP THE CONTRACT!

OKAY, HERE YOU GO, CHUCK...FIVE PLAYERS FOR SNOOPY...

I'M KIND OF NERVOUS...I'VE NEVER TAKEN PART IN ANY BIG BASEBALL TRADES BEFORE...MAYBE I SHOULD THINK ABOUT THIS A LITTLE WHILE, AND...

DON'T BE RIDICULOUS...YOU WANT TO BUILD A BETTER TEAM, DON'T YOU? COME ON, SIGN RIGHT HERE...

TRY NOT TO LET YOUR HAND SHAKE SO MUCH, CHUCK, YOU'RE SPILLING INK ALL OVER THE CONTRACT...

WHAT HAVE I DONE? I'VE TRADED AWAY MY OWN DOG! I'VE BECOME A REAL MANAGER!!

SNOOPY, THIS IS A HARD THING FOR ME TO SAY...

I'VE TRADED YOU TO PEPPERMINT PATTY FOR FIVE NEW PLAYERS...ALL I ASK IS A LITTLE UNDERSTANDING AND SOME SIGN FROM YOU THAT YOU DON'T HATE ME...

BLEAH!!

THAT WASN'T IT!

YOU WHAT!?!

I TRADED SNOOPY TO PEPPERMINT PATTY FOR FIVE GOOD PLAYERS... HE'S THE ONLY PLAYER SHE'D TRADE FOR...I HAD TO DO IT...

YOU TRADED YOUR OWN DOG!

I'M SO DISAPPOINTED IN YOU, CHARLIE BROWN, THAT I DON'T EVEN WANT TO TALK TO YOU!

SIGH

AND STOP BREATHING ON MY BLANKET!

SWIP!

I WAS WRONG... I CAN SEE IT NOW...

I SIMPLY LOST ALL SENSE OF PROPORTION...THE THOUGHT OF WINNING A FEW BALL GAMES BLINDED ME TO THE DUTY I HAVE TO LOVE AND PROTECT MY DOG...

LOOK, SNOOPY, I'M TEARING UP THE CONTRACT...I'M GOING TO TELL PEPPERMINT PATTY **THE DEAL IS OFF!**

WHAT DID YOU SAY?

OH, GOOD GRIEF!!

!

WHAT'S THIS? YOU'VE TORN UP OUR CONTRACT, CHUCK...

YOU MUST HAVE GOT MY MESSAGE...

MESSAGE?

THOSE FIVE PLAYERS I WAS SUPPOSED TO TRADE TO YOU SAID THEY'D GIVE UP BASEBALL BEFORE THEY'D PLAY ON YOUR TEAM!

SORRY, CHUCK...THE DEAL'S OFF... I HOPE YOUR FEELINGS AREN'T HURT...

HURT...? I'M CRUSHED!!

THE END

PLEASE REMAIN SEATED

IF I WERE TO HIDE UNDER MY BED ALL SUMMER, I WOULDN'T HAVE TO GO TO SUMMER CAMP, WOULD I?

I'VE DECIDED I AM DEFINITELY NOT GOING TO SUMMER CAMP!

INSTEAD, I'M GOING TO HOLLYWOOD! IT'S MORE MY STYLE...

I HAVE TO LEAVE NOW...I'M FLYING ON "ACE" AIRLINES...

"ACE" AIRLINES?

IS THIS THE FLIGHT TO HOLLYWOOD?

YOU MUST BE THE BAGGAGE HANDLER, RIGHT?

DO I GET A CLAIM CHECK?

BOOT

THE CLAIM CHECK IS BIGGER THAN THE BAGGAGE HANDLER...

WHAT KIND OF AIRLINE IS THIS? WHERE'S THE COMPLIMENTARY ORANGE JUICE?

AND ISN'T ANYONE GOING TO WELCOME ME ABOARD?

SMAK

I'D RATHER HAVE ORANGE JUICE...

WHAT HAPPENS IF THERE'S A LOSS OF CABIN PRESSURE? WHERE ARE THE EMERGENCY OXYGEN MASKS?

SHUNK

WE MUST BE UP AWFULLY HIGH...THOSE CARS DOWN THERE LOOK LIKE TINY ANTS...

I CAN'T LOOK... I GET DIZZY...

WHAT ABOUT LUNCH? I THOUGHT FIRST-CLASS PASSENGERS WERE ALWAYS SERVED A NICE LUNCH...

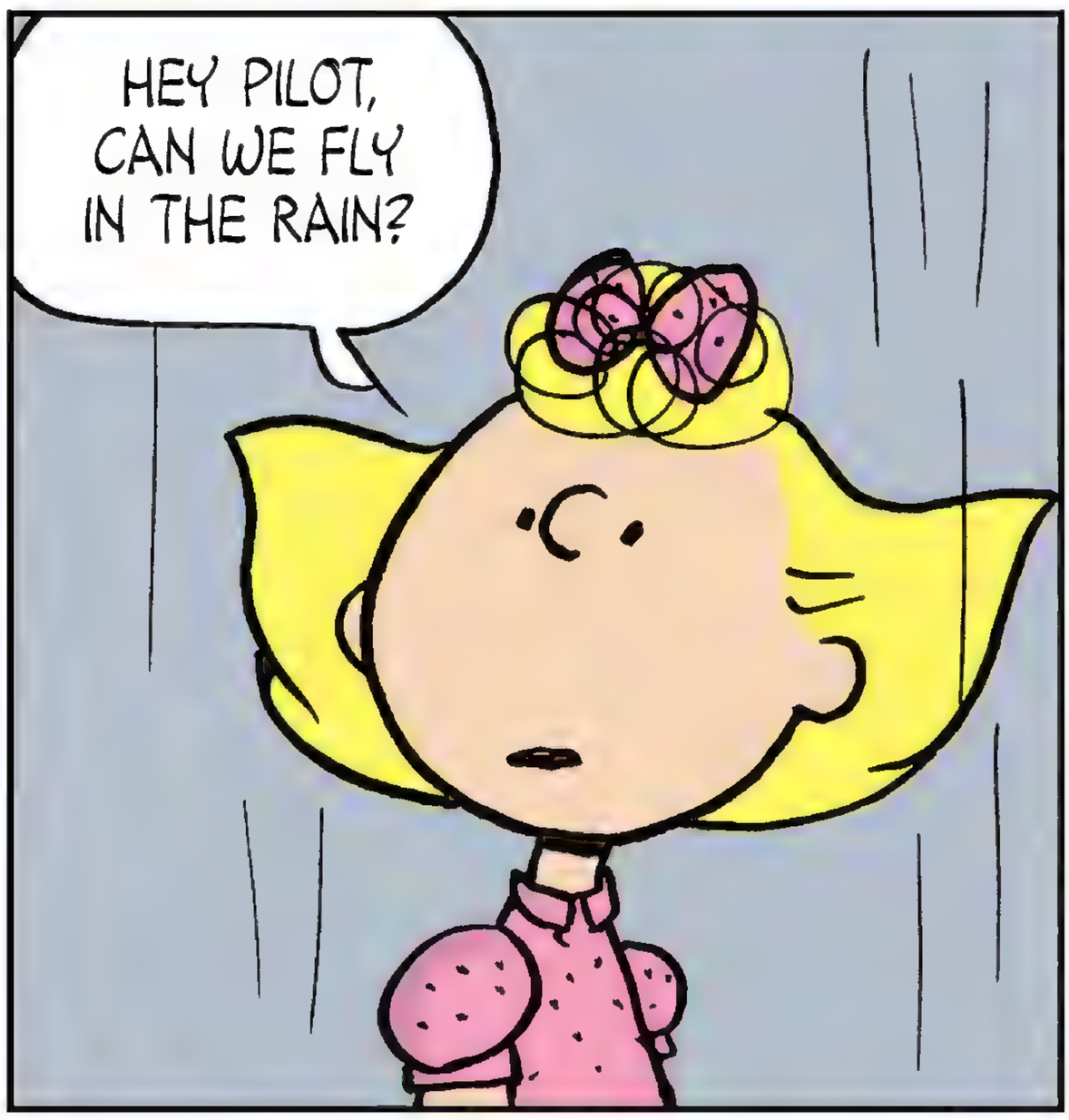
BLEAH!

IF WE'RE FLYING TO HOLLYWOOD, WE SHOULD BE GOING OVER SOME MOUNTAINS PRETTY SOON, SHOULDN'T WE?

IT'S BEEN A SMOOTH FLIGHT SO FAR, THOUGH, HASN'T IT?

ALMOST AS IF WE'RE NOT FLYING AT ALL...

IT'S RAINING!


HEY PILOT, CAN WE FLY IN THE RAIN?

PILOT?

HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO LAND THIS THING?

WE WERE SUPPOSED TO BE FLYING TO HOLLYWOOD!

THEN IT STARTED TO RAIN, AND THE PILOT JUMPED OUT, AND I WAS IN MY OWN BACK YARD!

WHERE'S THAT PILOT?! I'M GONNA POUND HIM!!

AH! BONJOUR, MADEMOISELLE! I AM THE FAMOUS SERGEANT OF THE FOREIGN LEGION...

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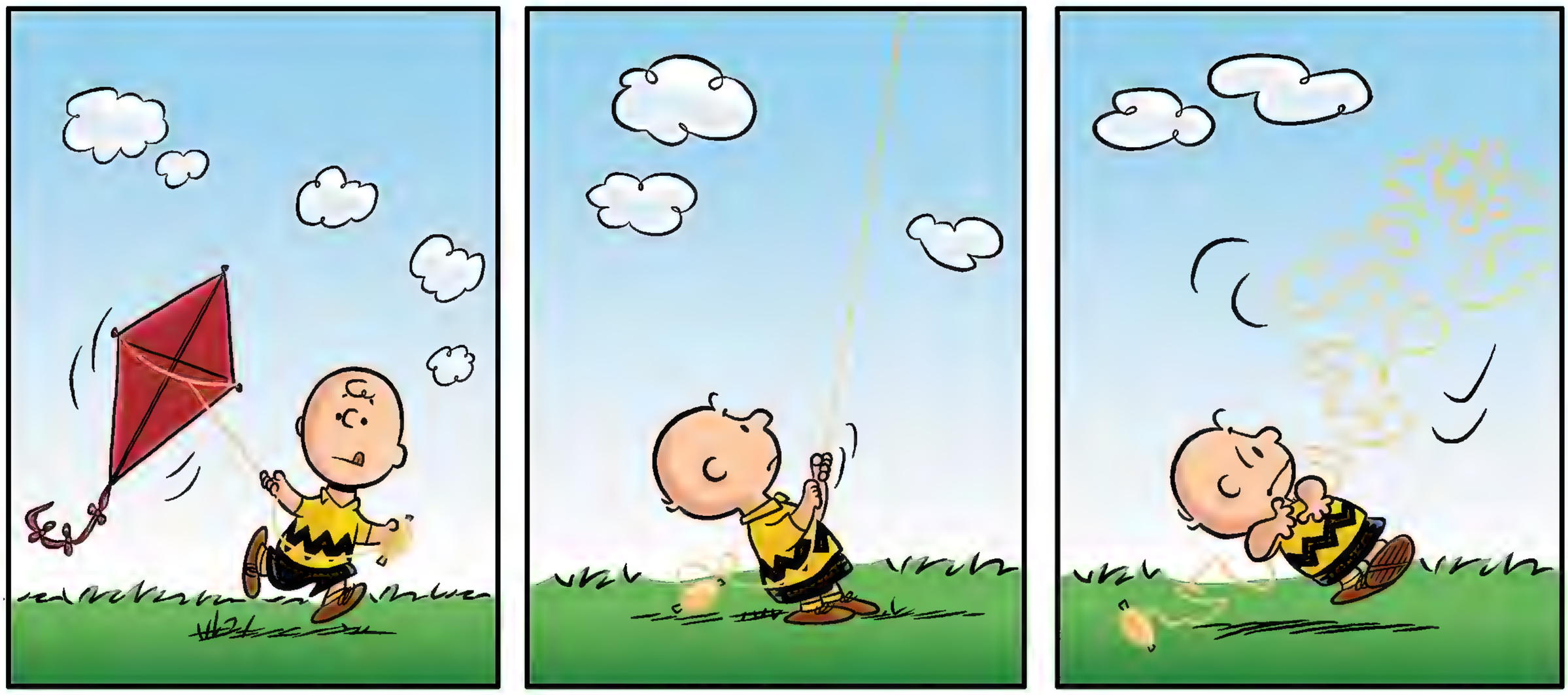

THE GOOSE EGGS

I CAN'T STAND IT!

YOU ROTTEN, NO-GOOD CHUNK OF WOOD!

ALL RIGHT, YOU ASKED FOR IT!

YOU BITE MY KITE, I BITE YOU!

CHOMP! CRUNCH!!

DIDN'T THINK I'D DO IT, DID YOU?

HERE, BIG BROTHER... YOU GOT A LETTER.

IT'S SOMETHING ABOUT YOU BITING A TREE...

DO YOU ALWAYS READ MY MAIL?

DO YOU ALWAYS BITE TREES?

ONLY IF I FEEL THEY DESERVE IT...

"THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY"...

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

IT WAS A KITE-EATING TREE! I ONLY BIT IT TO GET EVEN...

IS THIS THE TREE YOU BIT, BIG BROTHER?

THERE IT IS...THE CHOMP HEARD 'ROUND THE WORLD....

WHAT DO YOU THINK THEY'LL DO TO YOU?

TEN-TO-ONE THEY THROW HIM IN THE SLAMMER!

I THINK I'LL RUN AWAY...

ARE YOU THE KIND WHO RUNS FROM A PROBLEM, CHARLIE BROWN?

NO, BY GOLLY! I'LL STAY AND FIGHT! I'LL USE ALL THE STRENGTH AND TALENT I POSSESS TO PROVE MY CAUSE WAS JUST!

YOU'D BETTER RUN AWAY!

SEE TO IT MY SISTER FEEDS THE DOG, WON'T YOU?

SOME SAY THAT RUNNING AWAY IS THE EASY WAY OUT...

NOT FOR ME, IT ISN'T!

NO ONE'S GOING TO MISS ME ANYWAY...

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT'S COME TO THIS. LEAVING TOWN SO I DON'T GO TO JAIL FOR BITING THAT TREE...

TREE BITING! EVEN MY MISDEMEANORS ARE WISHY-WASHY!

THIS IS NOT A BAD LOOKING NEIGHBORHOOD...

I WONDER WHERE I AM...

*BONK!!

I THINK YOU KILLED HIM, RUBY!

MAYBE NOT...SOMETIMES OLDER PEOPLE TAKE NAPS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE DAY...

YOU HIT HIM WITH THE BALL, RUBY!

IT WAS AN ACCIDENT! MAYBE WE COULD JUST SAY WE FOUND HIS BODY WASHED UP ON SHORE...

THERE'S NO WATER AROUND HERE...

WE COULD SAY HE RAN INTO THE BALL WITH HIS HEAD!

MAYBE HE HAD A HEART ATTACK...MAYBE YOU SHOULD POUND HIM ON THE CHEST...

OUCH!

IT WORKED!

EXCEPT, YOU MISSED HIS CHEST, AND HIT HIM ON THE NOSE...

WHERE AM I?

SORRY, MISTER. WE WERE PRACTICING AND YOUR HEAD GOT IN THE WAY OF OUR BASEBALL.

WE'VE BEEN PRACTICING ALL WEEK. WE'VE GOT A BIG GAME COMING UP!

WHAT WE REALLY NEED IS A COACH. SOMEONE OLDER WHO LOVES BASEBALL AND CAN HELP OUT OUR TEAM...

MY NAME IS AUSTIN, AND THIS IS RUBY...

WELL, MY NAME IS CHARLIE BROWN, AND I ACCEPT THE OFFER TO BE COACH OF YOUR BASEBALL TEAM...

IS EVERYONE ON YOUR TEAM AS SMALL AS YOU?

WE'RE THE TWO BIGGEST!

BUT WHAT WE LACK IN SIZE, WE MAKE UP FOR WITH YOUTHFUL ENTHUSIASM...

IT'S GREAT TO BE HERE. I CONSIDER IT AN HONOR BEING ASKED TO COACH.

I'LL DO MY BEST TO TEACH YOU THE FUNDAMENTALS AND GO OVER THE AREAS IN WHICH, I FEEL, YOU CAN IMPROVE AS A TEAM...

CHARLES?

MY NAME IS LELAND, AND I DON'T WANT TO BE THE CATCHER ANYMORE...

LET ME DECIDE THAT, LELAND... PUT YOUR MASK ON, AND LET'S SEE HOW YOU LOOK...

CHARLES?

MY NAME IS MILO, AND I NEED SOME HELP WITH MY HITTING...

OKAY, MILO, YOU WANT HELP WITH YOUR STANCE, OR YOUR SWING, OR GRIP OR WHAT?

JUST HELP ME LIFT THE BAT!

WE ARE GOING TO NEED A LOT OF THAT YOUTHFUL ENTHUSIASM...

NOW THAT YOUR MASTER HAS RUN AWAY, I'M SUPPOSED TO FEED YOU...

DON'T WORRY. I'LL TAKE CARE OF YOU...

SOUNDS OMINOUS, DOESN'T IT?

WILL YOU BE SPENDING THE NIGHT, CHARLES?

YES, I'VE FOUND A LITTLE PLACE...

GOOD... I WAS WORRIED ABOUT YOU...

DON'T WORRY, RUBY...IT'S VERY COMFORTABLE.

SIGH

OKAY, AUSTIN... THIS IS THE PITCHER'S MOUND...

HOW DO I GET DOWN?

AFTER YOU PITCH YOUR FIRST GAME, AUSTIN, YOU'LL NEVER WANT TO COME DOWN.

I DISAGREE...

ALL RIGHT, MILO, LET'S SEE YOUR SLIDE!

THAT NEEDS A LITTLE WORK...

CHARLES, WHAT'S A "GOOSE EGG"?

THAT'S AN EXPRESSION MEANING "ZERO"...IF YOUR TEAM DOESN'T SCORE ANY RUNS DURING AN INNING, YOU GET A "GOOSE EGG".

THAT'LL BE THE NAME OF OUR TEAM... "THE GOOSE EGGS"!

OH, GOOD GRIEF!

LORD, I HAVE A QUESTION FOR YOU...

WHY AM I SLEEPING IN A CARDBOARD BOX? WHY DO I ALWAYS HAVE TO SUFFER LIKE THIS?

WHAT ELSE DO YOU PLAN TO PUT ME THROUGH?

CRACK!

BOOM!

I HAD TO ASK...

GOOD MORNING, CHARLES...

I BROUGHT YOU SOME COLD CEREAL!

THANK YOU, MILO... THAT WAS VERY NICE OF YOU...

YOU'D BETTER EAT IT FAST, CHARLES...THE MILK IS RUNNING THROUGH MY FINGERS!

SORRY, I DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH HANDS TO BRING COFFEE...

ALL RIGHT, GOOSE EGGS. WE'VE JUST ENOUGH TIME TO GET A LITTLE MORE PRACTICE IN BEFORE THE GAME.

YOU'VE ALL BEEN WORKING HARD AND MAKING GREAT STRIDES...

NO MATTER WHO WINS TODAY, I AM PROUD OF YOU AND PROUD TO CALL YOU MY TEAM!

POW!

STRIKE ONE!

STRIKE TWO!

STRIKE THREE!

THAT'S MY TEAM, ALL RIGHT...

HERE COMES THE OTHER TEAM, CHARLES. THEY LOOK PRETTY MEAN...

?

?

LUCY!

CHARLIE BROWN! WHAT ARE **YOU** DOING HERE?

ONE OF THEIR PLAYERS LICKED ME ON THE NOSE, CHARLES...

YOU'RE THE COACH OF THIS STUPID TEAM?!

WE CAN'T PLAY THEM. THEY'RE TOO LITTLE. WE'D STEP ON THEM! THE GAME IS OFF!!

ARE THESE PEOPLE YOUR FRIENDS, CHARLES?

I GUESS SO...

THEIR RUDENESS MATCHES THEIR SIZE!

WHAT DID HE SAY?

CHARLIE BROWN, I'VE BEEN LOOKING ALL OVER FOR YOU. THE TREE YOU BIT BLEW OVER IN THE STORM. THE EPA HAS NO EVIDENCE AGAINST YOU. YOU CAN COME HOME!

DID HE SAY YOU BIT A TREE, CHARLES?

IT'S A LONG STORY, MILO...

TEAM, NOW THAT I AM FREE TO RETURN HOME, I AM AFRAID THAT I CAN NO LONGER BE YOUR COACH.

BUT I HOPE THAT JUST MAYBE, YOU LEARNED A FEW THINGS FROM ME...

ARE YOU AN ESCAPED CRIMINAL, CHARLES?

NO, NOT REALLY, MILO...

DID EVERYONE HEAR THAT?

WHEN I GROW UP, I WANT TO BE LIKE YOU, CHARLES!

THE END

LEARNING DOWN THE HOUSE

WE'RE GOING TO BE LATE FOR SCHOOL, SIR...

I'M NOT GOING, MARCIE... I CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE!

I'M GETTING DUMBER EVERY DAY, AND IT'S ALL JUST TOO EMBARRASSING...

YOU MAY WANT TO STAND BACK. I THINK STUPIDITY IS CONTAGIOUS.

YOU HAVE TO GO TO SCHOOL, SIR... YOU CAN'T JUST QUIT!

WHY CAN'T I? YESTERDAY ONE OF THE TEACHERS EVEN CRITICIZED MY LUNCH!

IT'S TIME TO GO WHEN THEY START BAD-MOUTHING YOUR LUNCH!

WHAT DID THE TEACHER SAY?

SHE SAID I HAD TOO MANY DOUGHNUTS AND NOT ENOUGH CARROTS...

WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE LEARNING ABOUT SQUARE ROOTS, NOT ROOT VEGETABLES!!

SIR, QUITTING SCHOOL IS A TERRIBLE IDEA. EDUCATION IS SO IMPORTANT...

YOU JUST CAN'T GIVE UP AND LIVE UNDER A TREE YOUR WHOLE LIFE.

YOU'RE RIGHT. I CAN'T LIVE UNDER A TREE MY WHOLE LIFE.

I KNOW WHAT I CAN DO.

NOW WHAT ARE YOU DOING, SIR?

I'M NOT DOING ANYTHING, MARCIE... I'M JUST GOING TO SIT HERE FOR THE REST OF MY LIVE WITH MY OL' FRIEND, SNOOPY!

DON'T DO THAT, SIR! COME DOWN! COME DOWN, AND GO TO SCHOOL WITH ME!

NOPE!

I'M GOING TO STAY RIGHT HERE BACAUSE OL' SNOOP IS THE ONLY ONE WHO UNDERSTANDS ME!

I DO?

SIR, YOU'RE BEING VERY FOOLISH!

SIR...

I'M LOSING MY PATIENCE WITH YOU, SIR! WE HAVE TO GO TO SCHOOL!!

COME DOWN FROM THERE RIGHT NOW, AND LET'S GO TO SCHOOL!!!!

MARCIE, HAS ANYONE EVER TOLD YOU THAT WHEN YOU'RE MAD YOUR GLASSES GET REAL STEAMY?

MARCIE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU TO GET HOME...

DO YOU REALIZE THAT I MISSED SCHOOL TODAY? I'VE SPENT THE WHOLE DAY IN YOUR BACKYARD TRYING TO GET PEPPERMINT PATTY TO COME DOWN OFF SNOOPY'S HOUSE!

SHE WANTS TO QUIT SCHOOL AND LIVE ON TOP OF SNOOPY'S DOGHOUSE HER WHOLE LIFE. ISN'T THAT AWFUL?

YES IT IS...I DON'T THINK WE CAN AFFORD TO FEED BOTH OF THEM.

WHAT CAN I DO?

GOOD ANSWER, CHUCK!

I COULD SEE IT COMING!

PEPPERMINT PATTY, GIVE ME ONE GOOD REASON YOU WANT TO QUIT GOING TO SCHOOL.

I'LL GIVE YOU THREE! I'M NOT GETTING ANY SMARTER, THEY WANT ME TO EAT CARROTS, AND JUST LOOK AT SNOOPY!

HE NEVER HAD ANY EDUCATION, AND HE'S DONE ALL RIGHT!

WHO AM I TO ARGUE IN THE FACE OF SOUND REASONING?

ACTUALLY I'VE ALWAYS REGRETTED THAT I NEVER WENT TO MEDICAL SCHOOL!

SIR, IF YOU DON'T COME DOWN, I'M GOING TO DRAG YOU DOWN!

LAST CHANCE...

YANK!

HEY!! LET GO!

SOMEBODY STOP HER! SHE'S GONE INSANE!!

LET GO, MARCIE! YOU'RE PULLING THE WHOLE HOUSE DOWN!!

MARCIE! YOU'RE DESTROYING CHUCK'S GUEST COTTAGE!! MARCIE, LET GO!

GOOD GRIEF!

AAUGH!!

I THINK ALL MY ARMS ARE BROKEN!

WOW!

ALL RIGHT, MARCIE, I HOPE YOU'RE SATISFIED! YOU'VE DESTROYED CHUCK'S GUEST COTTAGE!

IT'S NOT A GUEST COTTAGE, SIR, IT'S A DOGHOUSE! AND SNOOPY IS NOT A FUNNY-LOOKING KID WITH A BIG NOSE!! HE'S A BEAGLE!

WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO FACE UP TO REALITY?!

A BEAGLE?

WOOF!

COME ON, LET'S GO, SIR....

A BEAGLE?

I DON'T KNOW HOW WE'LL EXPLAIN MISSING SCHOOL TODAY, BUT I'LL THINK OF SOMETHING...

A BEAGLE?

WE COULD SAY WE HAD SORE THROATS, BUT THAT WOULD BE LYING...

PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS! THAT'S IT! WE'LL TELL THEM WE HAD SOME PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS...

A BEAGLE?

SNOOPY, SUPPERTIME!

PEPPERMINT PATTY, MY PARENTS ASKED IF YOU'D LIKE TO STAY FOR DINNER...

GOOD GRIEF! WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR DOG HOUSE?

IT'S NOT A DOG HOUSE...

WHIP

IT'S A GUEST COTTAGE.

THE END

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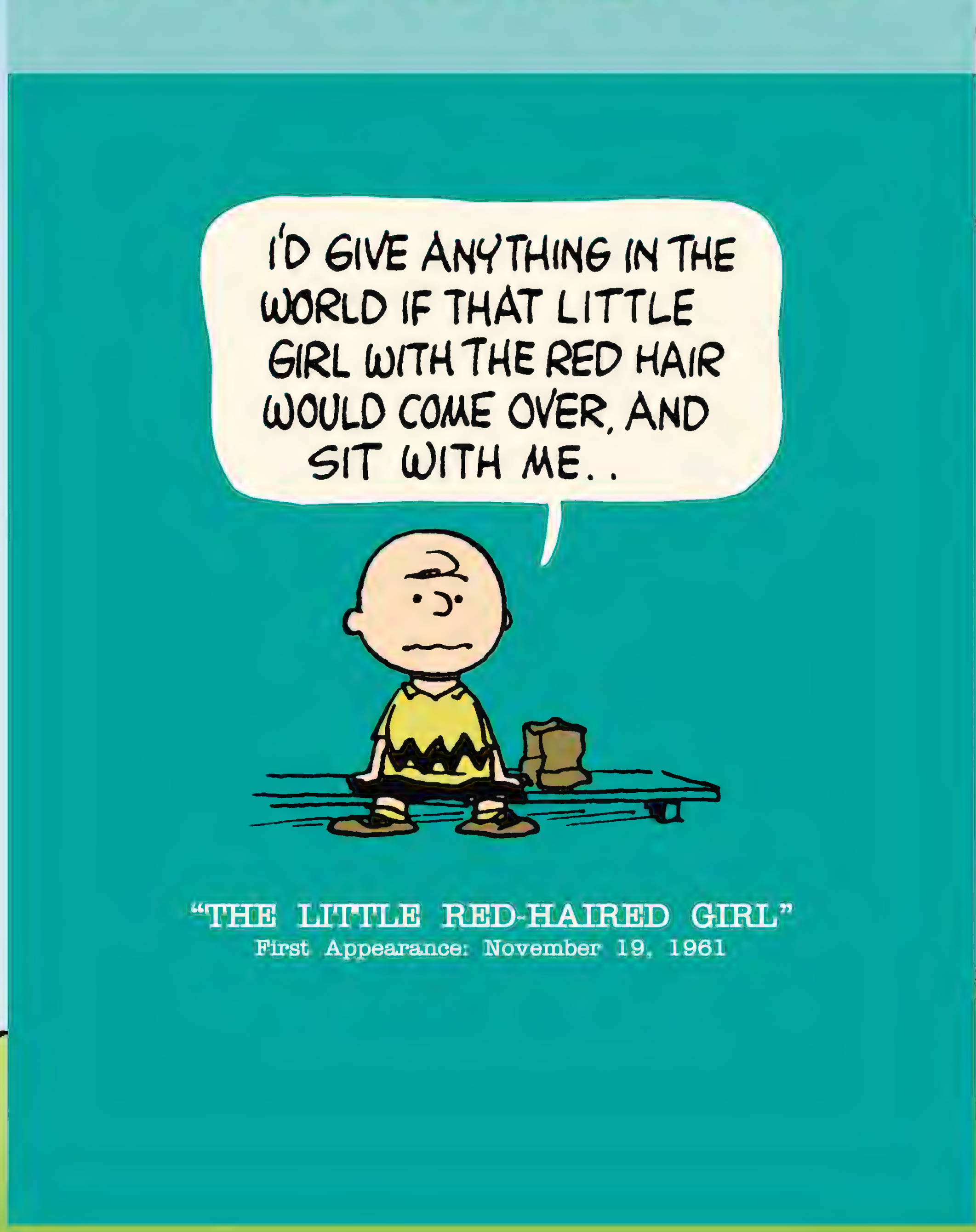

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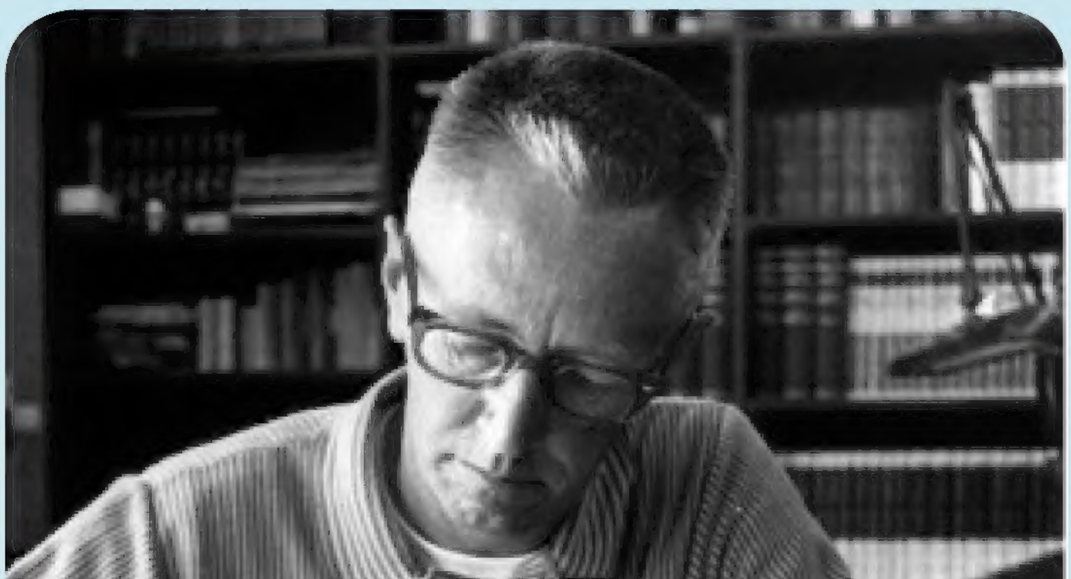

Charles M. Schulz once described himself as "born to draw comic strips." Born in Minneapolis, at just two days old, an uncle nicknamed him "Sparky" after the horse Spark Plug from the "Barney Google" comic strip, and throughout his youth, he and his father shared a Sunday morning ritual reading the funnies. After serving in the Army during World War II, Schulz's first big break came in 1947 when he sold a cartoon feature called "Li'l Folks" to the St. Paul Pioneer Press. In 1950, Schulz met with United Feature Syndicate, and on October 2 of that year, PEANUTS, named by the syndicate, debuted in seven newspapers. Charles Schulz died in Santa Rosa, California, in February 2000—just hours before his last original strip was to appear in Sunday papers.

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